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THE WEATHER

LOUISIANA: Fair and slightly warmer Sunday. Monday fair and mild. Gentle to moderate mostly westerly winds on coast.

ARKANSAS: Fair Sunday and Monday. No important temperature changes.

MONROE: Maximum 70.9; minimum 39.9.

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54 KNOWN DEAD IN ATLANTIC SEABOARD SNOWSTORM

War In Self Defense, Says Tojo



Hideki Tojo, prime minister of Japan at the time of Pearl Harbor, dines in an ante room of the international war crimes trial court at Tokyo in the trial of himself and 24 other Japanese political and military leaders charged with conspiring to wage aggressive war as early as 1929. Tojo took the witness stand Friday and defiantly declared Japan fought the war in self defense. (AP Wirephoto)

Dozen Guerrilla Posts Are Taken

NEW RECORD SET IN LIVING COSTS

Indications Are 1948 May Start At Even Higher Figure

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Living costs reached a new record high in mid-November, the Bureau of Labor statistics reported today, adding the hint that 1948 may start at an even higher level.

Statisticians of the Bureau of Labor statistics said privately that a two per cent wholesale price jump since mid-November indicates the nation may swing into the new year at a consumer's price level even eclipsing the mid-November peak.

The bureau's consumers' price index rose approximately one per cent from mid-October to mid-November to set the new record. The mid-November index is eight per cent higher than it was a year ago, 24 per cent above mid-June, 1946, 67 per cent above August, 1939—when the war in Europe began—and 165 per cent more than the five-year 1935-39 average of consumers' prices.

Prices advanced in November for all major groups of items, the bureau report on its mid-November findings said.

"Preliminary estimates show that average retail prices of fuels were up nearly 1 1/2 per cent. Apparel, house furnishings, and miscellaneous goods and services increased somewhat less than one per cent. Rents were fractionally higher."

Food prices rose about one-half of one per cent between mid-October and mid-November, BLS said, reaching to slightly below the peak they registered in September. The November food price index was 203 per cent above the 1935-39 average.

A government official meanwhile suggested more savings and faster repayment of existing debt as one method of combating inflation. He was William H. Husband, general manager of the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation, a government unit. Husband mentioned that the public has increased its savings in insured savings and loans accounts

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TRUCK DRIVER SUED FOR \$324,595.92

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Happy Carson, 43-year-old truck driver who said he formerly operated a hand truck, is being sued by the federal government for \$324,595.92 in unpaid taxes for the year 1936.

"Some joke," Carson said in commenting on the suit filed in federal district court yesterday. "Maybe I can scrape up the 92 cents."

Carson told reporters that federal agents two years ago had asked him how much he made while operating a hand truck in 1936.

"I told them I cleared about \$1,000 a day after expenses," Carson said. "I didn't have any books or records. They figured somehow that there were 324 working days and that I owed \$324,595.92."

Carson added he did not know what he had done with the money and said he wouldn't be working as a truck driver if he had any of the money left.

Joseph H. Solon, assistant U. S. attorney, declined comment on Carson's statements. He said his office did not have complete files on the case. Tax officials estimated such a tax would entail a 1936 income of about \$900,000.

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DEMOLAY WILL CONDUCT BALL

Holiday Dance Planned In Recreation Center Monday Night

The members of Ouachita Chapter, Order of DeMolay, will hold their first annual Christmas ball at the Monroe Recreation Center, from 9 to 12, Monday night, December 29. In addition to their dates they will have as their guests the members of Monroe Assembly of Rainbow Girls and their dates. Music will be by Collie Fontane and his orchestra.

Ouachita chapter, which has been dormant for some years, was reactivated last August under the sponsorship of Teflis Grotto, and has been very active under the leadership of James Padgett, master councilor; Guy T. Elliott, Jr., senior councilor, and Max Funderburk, junior councilor.

They are working with the assistance of an advisory council composed of the following Master Masons:

Morris S. Harrison, Will A. Brandt, W. C. Honeycutt, John E. Zufall, Harry E. Roberts, Everett G. Heller, Joe A. Miller, Carroll D. Wallace, Tom D. Wafer, T. J. Wilhite and Wallace Trew.

Homer H. Adler, serves as scribe.

The enthusiasm that has prevailed, not only among the members of the DeMolay chapter, but among the Master Masons who sponsor the chapter, indicate that a strong, active group will make DeMolay a permanent force in the community.

Monday night's Christmas ball will be made possible by Monroe Council, R. and S. M.; the Masonic Lodges of Monroe, West Monroe, and Sterlington; and by contributions of individual Masons who are interested in DeMolay.

Attendance will be restricted to members of DeMolay and their dates, Rainbow Girls and their dates, with admission in either case by a current membership card. No other admission fee will be asked; no other means on admission will be honored.

NINE ACCUSED OF DRUNKEN DRIVING

Nine drunken drivers gave troopers of the local state police barracks plenty of work to do over the Yuletide.

Of eleven persons arrested nine were charged with drunken driving. They were: Meredith R. Arrant, 39, of Marion; Roy Carter, 42, of Wilhite; Burrell Maxey, 40, of Bastrop; Robert L. Snowden, 34, of West Monroe; Vernon A. Caffery, 22, of Bastrop; Dan A. Packer, 38, of Tallulah; Jesse Pope, 44, of Jonesboro; Jessie Grigsby, 43, Lake Providence, (also charged with property damage); and George Gilmore, 30, Negro, Monroe.

Jessie Hill, 24, Negro of Ruston, was charged with shooting with intent to kill by troopers who arrested him, and Marshall M. Lowrey, 29, of Selman Field, Monroe, was charged with reckless driving, causing personal injury and property damage.

SHREVEPORT CHILD EXPIRES OF BURNS

SHREVEPORT, La., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Tony Roy Lena, eight-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam J. Lena, died in a hospital here today from burns received almost a week ago when he overturned a pot of scalding coffee.

Parents of the child said that last Sunday he accidentally pulled the pot from a table.

Tony Roy apparently grasped the hanging edge of a tablecloth and jerked it.

The Lenas live on Hart's Island road outside Shreveport.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Real estate transfers recorded yesterday at the office of the clerk of court of Ouachita parish were:

Oscar Durden sold to Mrs. Ollie Gillette Keiffer all his interest to lot 11, block 2 of J. A. Smith's subdivision of lots 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, block 5 of Terminal Heights addition for \$10 and other good and valuable considerations.

Irene Durden Norsworthy sold to Mrs. Ollie Gillette Keiffer all her interest to lot 11, block 2 of J. A. Smith's subdivision of lots 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, block 5 of Terminal Heights addition for \$10 and other good and valuable considerations.

Mrs. Cille Gillette Keiffer sold to B. L. Fletcher lot 11, block 2 of J. A. Smith's subdivision of lots 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, block 5 of Terminal Heights addition for \$900.

Vanceil Barnett Ray, et al., sold to James A. Roberts the south 50 feet of lots 1 and 2, block 20 of Honest John's addition to Brownsville for \$150.

Vinson A. Barnett sold to James E. Fletcher a certain parcel of ground in section 3, township 17 north, range 3 east for \$2500.

G. O. Dooley sold to L. F. Bastoe a certain parcel of ground in the S 1/2 of SW 1/4, section 5, township 17 north, range 4 east for \$300.

Margaret Breard Hawks sold to Stella B. Wilcox the west 71.02 feet of lot 2, square 34 of D. A. Breard, Jr.'s Home addition for \$2300.

The Sherrouse Realty Co., sold Dock Anderson lot 11, block 56 of Booker T. Washington addition for \$150.

Earl Cartwright, Sr., sold to A. A. Moak a certain parcel of ground in the N 1/2 of S 1/2 of S 1/2 of N 1/2, section 10, township 18 north, range 4 east for \$3,350.

Willie Davenport sold to Will Clark, et al., lots 13, block 3 of Blank's addition for \$200.

W. Earl Hatten sold to Walter B. Hatten a certain parcel of ground in lot 19 of Bubb rearrangement of the W 1/2 of square 6 of T. E. Flournoy's Third addition to West Monroe for \$2,700 and other good and valuable considerations.

Durrell McKenzie sold to Frank Paul Fury a certain parcel of ground in block 45 of the Crescent Bend addition for \$675.

A steam turbine operates on the same principle as a windmill.

BEST CITIZEN OF 1947



Mrs. Annie Rimes is shown receiving the second annual trophy for the best performance of duties of citizenship and unselfishness for her community. She donated a choice 20-acre site for the magnificent new St. Joseph's home in Monroe and in addition has been characterized by constant ministrations to the sick and aged. She spends many hours daily in these missions of love for those who need a friend. The trophy is being bestowed in the above picture by Wilson Ewing, publisher of the Morning World and News-Star.

Boyle's Notebook

By Hal Boyle

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(P)—The 1948 breed of bachelor is going to be a difficult target for leap year lassies.

I've talked with a number of single men who say they are open to reasonable marriage proposals, but since 1948 is the year for the ladies to pop the question—they want it done right.

"Most girls are completely ignorant of how to propose properly," one young man said. "They are generally too bold or carefree about the whole matter.

"They forget marriage is a very serious thing, and no fellow in his right mind is going to say 'yes' to a flibberty girl who giggles when she asks his hand."

This halterless lad said he thought it would be a nice old-fashioned touch if his girl knelt as she asked him to know his hand truth.

"If they come to me I'll just tell them to get my father's permission first," said another bachelor.

The consensus was that they expected to be extremely careful about the whole thing and wouldn't be rushed off their feet by any headlong courtship.

Here are a few tips, however, to help enable any enterprising girl to land her man:

First of all, don't try to dazzle him into marriage by throwing your money away on him in a gay mad tour of pleasure spots. Here gold will not buy his love.

You must remember that bachelors are delicate and brooding, and they want to be sure you are a dependable girl and sensitive to their moods.

When you call on your bachelor for your first date, try to win his confidence. Bring along a good book or a box of cigars—little presents like these let him know you want to please him.

Intimate gifts like underwear or shaving lotion should be avoided until you know each other better, and the family has come to understand your intentions toward him are truly serious.

Where to take him? Well, many young men don't like to huddle in

PAUL SAYS HE WAS COMPELLED TO FLEE

MUNICH, Dec. 27.—(P)—Dr. Rudolf Paul, former minister president of Thuringia, said today he was forced to flee the Russian zone because he advocated the Marshall plan.

Paul left Russian-occupied Thuringia Sept. 1 with his wife, entering the American-occupied zone where, in effect, he has been in hiding. He visited Munich over Christmas and is staying in the home of Minister President Hans Ehard of Bavaria.

Paul, a former leader of the right-wing liberal Democratic party, had the backing of the Soviet-sponsored Socialist unity party (SED) for the presidency of Thuringia.

In an interview today Paul said he split with the Soviet occupation authorities after he first advocated the Marshall plan for restoring the economy of Europe.

Paul charged that his name was forged on documents and statements criticizing the Marshall plan. He said the forgery was done by "leading men" in the Soviet zone but he declined to say whether they were Russians or German Communists.

On top of that, Paul asserted that "criminal elements" of the German population were being fostered by the Soviet occupation people and in some cases even were promoted to public office.

Now 54 years old, Paul said that he was withdrawing from politics for the present and intended to write his memoirs.

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Religious Heritage

The territory which is now the United States was explored by men seeking wealth and glory. It was settled by men and women seeking freedom.

To those settlers this was indeed a New World—untouched by civilization, but untouched also by the discrimination, intolerance and unjust compulsions of the civilization that they knew. Here they might escape the strife of militant religion and fierce sectarianism which followed the Reformation.

And so they came—English dissenters, English Catholics, French Protestants, Jews from Spain and Portugal—to a new land where religion was a matter of free will and free conscience, and not of state-enforced acceptance.

All of the old practices were not left behind, however. Even after the federal government was established, a few states, for a short time, retained a connection between the state government and an established church which, while it did not interfere with religious freedom, imposed certain civil restrictions on the members of other sects.

But by the time the states had accepted the idea of union, it was generally agreed that church and central government should be kept separate, and that a person's religious beliefs should be a matter of inviolable civil as well as moral right. This strong legal protection of the tradition of freedom constitutes the heritage of religious liberty to which we give grateful attention on Inter-Faith Day.

Because of this heritage no man, for reasons of his religious beliefs or lack of them, has ever been barred from entering this country, or legally denied the right to vote or hold public office or to enjoy the advantages of education and other rights and privileges common to all citizens.

Any church or denomination may worship and practice its beliefs as it pleases, provided only that it stays within the liberal bounds of public safety and good citizenship. It may have its own schools, hospitals and similar facilities. These rights have existed from the first days of the republic, and the national, state and local governments have consistently strengthened and reaffirmed them since then.

As citizens, individually and collectively, we often prove poor guardians of this great heritage. Social and business discrimination is constantly being practiced for religious reasons.

Today we are again in a period of unrest after a war against the forces of bigotry and discrimination. Yet these evils have not been killed; in fact, there are indications that intolerance once more is recruiting and organizing followers in this country.

So it is well that all of us should be mindful of our heritage and of our own actions. Protestants, Catholics and Jews all were settled here more than 300 years ago. Protestants, Catholics and Jews followed them here in increasing number with the passing years. They are the Americans of today.

Americanism is not a matter of religious faith, but of religious freedom.

CAN USE THE HELP

Argentina's offer, if that is what it is, of \$5,000,000,000 in long term loans to deserving nations is accompanied by charges of dollar domination and other evidences of jealousy of the United States. But that can be overlooked.

The United States should welcome any help it can get in trying to put the world back into running order. If Argentina is ready to pull an oar, it matters little whether the oarsman looks up occasionally to sass the coxswain.

Five billion dollars of Argentine capital devoted to world recovery, even though in the form of loans instead of gifts, will ease the great burden on the United States. Argentina is so ambitious for a high rating in international councils that it hurts, and that nation as an international creditor will undoubtedly try to throw its weight around. But that is the prerogative of an international creditor. All of them do it.

South America is currently asking for inclusion in the Marshall program of recovery. But it is difficult to see how the United States can oblige, the burden of Europe and the Orient being what it is. But Argentina can become the South American creditor, provided the sister nations seeking credit do not fear that Argentina will foreclose the mortgage later and dominate them.

There are several nations that could pitch in and help Uncle Sam get the world on its feet. And if in so doing they acquire a little influence, what of it? It is probable that the American people have seen enough of world responsibility not to desire to run the whole shebang.

LUCKMAN'S FEAST

When Charlie Luckman, the big soap man, stepped down as head of the President's food conservation drive, he did the noble thing by his 100 subordinates in Washington. Presumably all had a lean and hungry look as a result of practicing what they preached. Luckman proceeded to make it up to them, according to Rep. Leslie C. Arends of Illinois.

Belshazzar was a piker according to Luckman, if the Congressman's copy of the menu served at the farewell banquet is authentic. Here is what is alleged to have been served at the Luckman banquet.

Cocktails in generous supply, shrimp cocktail, fried oysters, crab, shrimp and lobster bumbo, curried chicken, roast turkey, baked ham, roast beef, string beans au gratin, fried apple rings, pickled walnuts, celery, olives, pickles, mixed green salad, rye rolls, assorted ice creams, assorted finger rolls, coffee.

It is obvious that if government controls are reimposed on food, those who do the imposing will not be compelled to draw in their belts.



Jimmie Fidler IN HOLLYWOOD

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Now it's Cowboy Star Tex Ritter who's been bitten by the political bug; he'll bid for a seat in the California State legislature. . . . Bobby Driscoll, the screen moppet who was severely bitten about the face by a dog some months ago, will submit to plastic surgery next month, in an effort to conceal the scar. . . . Primo Carnera has been handed his first citizenship papers.

Annabella is telling pals that she intends to make her home in Hollywood, and that her 17-year-old daughter has applied for a job with Uncle Sam. . . . Fans who remember Mae Murray's "hotcha" roles in American pictures will get a chuckle from the news that she's signed to produce, and star in, a series of fairy tales for a German studio. . . . If Rudy Vallee dubs his new radio program "Show Business," as he's planned, he can expect a legal battle with Mozzelle (Alan's widow) Dinehart, who claims priority rights to that title.

Woza about a red-hot feud between Ingrid Bergman and Victor Fleming, the director of "Joan of Lorraine"? . . . Joy Lane, erstwhile starlet of "Our Gang" comedies, is bidding for a screen comeback. . . . Don't be surprised if Marilyn Maxwell and her ex, Actor John Conte, reappear within the next few weeks. . . . Orson Welles has written Hollywood pals that he intends to establish permanent residence abroad and do all of his future screen work for European studios. . . . Frankie Darro, injured when thrown from a horse during the filming of "Heart of Virgina," will undergo a knee operation.

As a matter of fact, there seems to be a strange dearth of writers who can turn out stories suited to anybody's talents, these days. Take a look at the production schedules announced for 1948 and you'll be amazed to find major studio after major studio planning the re-filming of stories first produced ten, twenty or even thirty years ago. Some of them have been screened three and four times. Don't mistake my comment for complaint. I have no brief against re-filming a good story, but it does seem odd that with so many big name writers under contract to the studios, so little original work of merit is being done. Maybe it's time for authors to resume authoring and quit spending ninety per cent of their time playing politics.

Aside to Walt Disney: In "A Christmas Carol" and "Miracle on 34th Street," adults have two excellent times for the Xmas season. But the small fry could use one, too, and there's only one man capable of making it. How about giving it some consecutive thought for next year? (Distributed by McNaught Syndicate, Inc.)

DOWN SOUTH

By Thurman Sensing

Director of Research, Southern States Industrial Council

WE ARE AT WAR WITH RUSSIA!

Several times during the past few months we have asked the question: What is back of all this foreign aid movement—is it charity or is it war? There was no clear cut answer from any source. The Marshall plan was proposed last spring, the Congress was called into special session this fall, but the people were never told what was the real reason for requesting either stop-gap or long-range foreign aid.

It is clear now that the Communists are not interested in United Nations Organization. It is clear that the Communists are only interested in the spread of Communism and that there can be no compromise between its totalitarian form of government and the philosophy of individual freedom of which the United States of America is the world's prime proponent and the savior during the two world wide wars.

Now the issue is joined, the people of this nation might well ask if the measures proposed are effective enough. In his message, the President for the first time admits that the Marshall Plan might not succeed. There being this recognized doubt as to its effectiveness, why not go farther? War, economic or otherwise, is no time for half-way measures! Why not this nation issue a clear cut statement that its fullest resources will be used in whatever way necessary to prevent Communism being forced on any people in any part of the world? Why not this nation take a lead in making the United Nations Organization a militant, effective organization, with or without Russia? Why not both our major political parties play power politics in this matter and unite in letting the world know that Democracy can be just as prepared, just as determined to survive as any other philosophy the world has ever known—if not more so?

We are being told that the future freedom of this nation is in just as much danger as it was at any time during the two World Wars. This being true, let's not depend on any "plan" that might or might not make it secure at the end of four years!

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

The Sunday School Lesson For Jan. 4
Scripture: John 20:30-31; Acts 16:11-15;
I Timothy 4:16; I John 5:1-5

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.
The passages chosen for this lesson all emphasize the ground, nature, purpose and action of religious belief in forming life and character.

The passage from John's Gospel reminds us that we have only recorded a part of the many things that Jesus did and said, but the things recorded are that we might believe in Him and have life.

In the passage from I Timothy is Paul's injunction to a younger man concerning sound thinking. And it may have had a right to give that advice. Paul, his whole life was an example of the determining power of belief. No man could have done what he did, endured and suffered all that he did, and, at the same time, had a joy in his soul that burst forth into songs at midnight in the darkness of an inner prison, had there not been an overwhelming conviction concerning God, the manifestation of God in Jesus, and the divine purpose for man, expressed in the Gospel, our lives express?

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7th	ROCKY PLAY	63.20
8th	JARVIS BAY	18.30

ANSWER

RACE	BET	PAID
1st	\$2	\$13.80
2nd	BREAKAGE \$8.00	\$350.35
3rd	\$350+\$1 BREAKAGE	\$6,300.45
4th	BREAKAGE \$15+\$45=\$60	\$407,610.00
5th	\$407,610	\$19,300,333.50
6th	BREAKAGE \$60+\$50=\$110	\$19,300,333+\$110=\$19,301,220.80
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THE HUMAN OSTRICH - HINDU SADHU BURIES HIS HEAD IN THE GROUND AND STAYS UPSIDE DOWN - Poona, India

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EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON

THE PORTABLE PAGODA—The Marble Pagoda was constructed in Peiping, China, and shipped to Seoul in two sections by boat in 1932. It was a doctor's prescription for the Chinese Princess Pazia. In 1932 she was 80 and in feeble health and the doctors knew that she was pining away for the sight of a famous Chinese Pagoda which she remembered from the palace days of her youth. To restore her health the king of Korea requested the Chinese emperor to furnish such a Pagoda or a replica of it on which the dying empress may look. The Chinese emperor had a replica made for shipment to Seoul. It arrived in time to save Pazia's life.

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These Days

By George E. Sokolsky

SOME MORE OF NOURSE

Mr. Truman's economic brain-trust, consisting of Edwin G. Nourse, Leon H. Keyserling and John D. Clark, has again produced a sort of Alice-in-Wonderland document which was undoubtedly written by the ghost of Harry Hopkins. A political document projected in a political year, it denies economic truth in order to win away from Wallace his labor and his not ultra-left-wing contingents. These great minds were appointed to deal with economics not politics, but the necessities of elections forced even scholars to debate their thinking to catch the votes. Demagogery does not wither on the vine of scholarship and objectivity fades in the lust for power and profit.

It is clear

ST. CHARLES' COLORED MISSION REENACTS SCENE OF NATIVITY

Like a child who has grown tired at the end of a long day, the world, at the end of another fiscal year, wants to be lulled into the sleep of relaxation by the telling of a story. The story is ever ancient, yet ever new. Its theme recounts the greatest birth of all times, the coming of a God-man to this world in a humble crib.

Over nineteen hundred years ago, a seemingly ordinary couple, Mary and Joseph, entered the town of Bethlehem. There being "no room in the inn," they left the town and came to a cave or stable which served as a place of refuge for shepherds and their flocks against the inclemency of the weather. It was here that this young couple gave birth to a God-man and laid him in a crib or manger. In the exquisite words of St. Luke: "And it came to pass that when they were there, her days were accomplished that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her first-born (only) son and wrapped him up in swaddling clothes and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn." (Chap. 5, v. 5-7.)

Only a God could have thought of a cave, used as a stable, as the most logical setting for His entry into the world. Divine ingenuity disregarded human habitations to choose instead a dwelling not made by sordid hands, but hewn by nature's art. In the hollow of the earth He, the Omnipotent God, made His first appearance as man, like the proverbial seed hidden in the ground. The last place man expected to find Him was under the earth. But men recognized this strange birth in some way and have always held in high esteem devotion to the crib and the sacred relics connected with it.

But it remained for St. Francis, of Assisi, (1181-1226), founder of the Franciscan Order, to popularize this devotion and to give it the tangible form in which it is known at the present time. On his visit to Rome in 1223, St. Francis made known to Pope Honorius, III, the plans he had conceived of making a scenic representation of the place of the Nativity. The pope listened eagerly to the details of the project and gave it his sanction. Leaving Rome, the brown-robed Franciscan arrived at Greccio on Christmas eve. Through the aid of his friend, Giovanni Veltta, he constructed a crib or manger and grouped around it figures of the Blessed Virgin and St. Joseph, the ass, ox and the shepherds who came to adore the newborn Savior. He acted as deacon at the Midnight Mass. Legend relates that having sung the words of the

BUILDING PERMITS

Arc D. Parker was granted permission to erect a building to be used as a dwelling at 4500 Lee avenue. Cost must not exceed \$1500 and day labor will be utilized.

In Peru are great walls built by the Incas in which there is no mortar, but with stones fitted so closely that a knife blade cannot be inserted between them.

Shown above is graphically portrayed the scene of the Nativity, displayed by the St. Charles' Colored Mission in West Monroe. It has attracted wide attention and admiration.

LUMBER SHORTAGE HURTING ENGLAND

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—(P)—Only six houses are standing in his 13-acre parish where 17,000 people lived before the war, the Rev. Philip B. Clayton, vicar of the famous All Hallows Church by the Tower of London, stated in New Orleans today. "People are living in caves, cellars and any place they can find," said the 63-year-old white-haired, rosy-faced vicar.

"We haven't got a spare stick of wood in all England," he continued, "and without wood we can't rebuild the shattered war homes."

He said that Great Britain has been forced to cancel her imports of wood due to the acute "dollar shortage." "Housing, schools, hospitals and churches are our greatest needs today," he stated. "We can't get back on our feet until we have them, and getting them is becoming a slow, agonizing process."

Approximately 14,500 ecclesiastical

MANY THANKS!

It would take too much space in the newspaper to list the clubs, sororities and individuals who assisted in the Salvation Army Christmas program, but I do it to publicly thank each and every one of you for your exemplification of Christ in forgetting yourself and doing things for "others." On behalf of the Salvation Army, I wish for you, the best that God can give for the year of 1948, which includes four things: Health, happiness, a Christlike spirit and service to mankind.

Cordially yours,
CHARLES A. STRATFORD, Adjutant.

buildings were destroyed during the war years, he added.

The vicar, a tanker fleet chaplain in the royal navy during the war, will speak at several churches here next week. His topic: London Through the Ages.

Drouth can be thanked for a decreased number of flies. These pests need moist conditions for breeding places.

ARLINE JUDGE SUED BY SIXTH HUSBAND

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 27.—(P)—Film Actress Arline Judge today was sued for divorce by her sixth husband, Henry J. "Bob" Topping, Jr., of Greenwich, on charges of intolerable cruelty.

Topping, whose brother, Daniel Reid Topping was divorced by Miss Judge in 1940, alleged in his petition that the unidentified acts of cruelty started on last May 1, the day after they were married.

Henry Topping was divorced here by Jane Dunham Shadduck Topping on Dec. 13, 1938, on a charge of habitual intemperance.

In addition to the two Toppings, Miss Judge's previous husbands were Wesley Ruggles, a film director; James McKinley Bryant, a New York hotel executive; Capt. James R. Adams, a British Royal Air Force flyer; and Vincent Morgan Ryan, a Chicago radio and advertising executive.

Miss Judge divorced all her previous husbands.

BODY RECOVERED BY ALLAN JONES

WEST LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27.—(P)—Film Singer Allan Jones dived fully clothed into his swimming pool yesterday and brought up the body of 3-year-old Susan Stephanian, a neighbor's child, but resuscitation attempts failed and three hours later the girl was pronounced dead.

Susan was the daughter of Architect and Mrs. Stephen A. Stephanian, who live on the estate adjoining Jones. Jones and his wife, Singer Irene Hervey, said they saw the body of the girl in eight feet of water in their pool after Susan's brother, Stephen, Jr., came to their door and asked if they had seen his sister.

Physicians estimated the girl had been in the water 15 minutes before she was removed.

OVERSEAS EX-GI'S CAN RE-ENLIST

Regular army combat units and divisions of World War II, now garrisoned in the United States, are seeking re-enlistments of former servicemen who have been on overseas duty with any of the armed forces since September 2, 1945, it is announced by Captain Leighton L. Tapp, commander of the United States army and United States air forces recruiting station, 101 North Grand Street, Monroe.

Under the provisions of this program, Captain Tapp stated, enlistments will be guaranteed a minimum of three years' assignment with units of their choice although those who prove unsatisfactory can expect a transfer to other units in the zone of the interior for remainder of their enlistment. He emphasized that no promises are being made regarding the permanency of the geographical location of the divisions and units involved and added that enlistments in grades higher than that of sergeant will not be made. He stated that volunteers for the 82nd airborne division can be enlisted, if they volunteer for airborne training and duty.

Units and divisions in which former servicemen may re-enlist were named as follows:

Second infantry division, Fort Lewis, Washington; second armored division, Camp Hood, Texas; 82nd airborne division, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; second engineer special brigade, Fort Worden, Washington; third armored division, Fort Knox, Kentucky; fourth infantry division, Fort Ord, California; fifth infantry division, Fort Jackson, South Carolina, and the ninth infantry division, Fort Dix, New Jersey.

FIRE ALARMS

Company 4 extinguished a grass fire at 1200 South Fourth at 11:48 a.m. Friday.

A grass fire at 907 South First street was put out by firemen of Company 4, at 12:32 p.m. Friday.

Company 3 answered an alarm at Riverside drive and Louisville avenue and put out a grass fire.

A grass fire at 809 Winnboro road was extinguished by firemen of Company 4 at 2:46 p.m. Friday.

Firemen of company five extinguished a grass fire at 2802 DeSiard street at 11:37 a.m. yesterday.

Company five was called to 5900 DeSiard street yesterday at 1:46 p.m. where they extinguished a grass fire.

NO MORE SNOW

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(P)—The New York Sun, carrying a message of cheer to its readers in the metropolitan area today, emblazoned the official weather forecast in this banner headline across the top of its front page: "U.S. weather forecast: No more snow."

FAMOUS PLACE IN LOUISVILLE CLOSES

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 27.—(P)—Al Kolb's little place of business closed up tonight after 82 years of continuous service at the same location.

Thousands of schooners of beer and fried oysters have slid across the old walnut bar since the place was opened about the end of the Civil War. Many famous personalities have enjoyed its hospitality.

Irvin S. Cobb used to delight friends with his story telling while he downed his beer at Kolb's. And "Marse Henry" Watterson, an almost legendary figure in Louisville's newspaper history, was another regular customer in the old days.

Keats Speed and Arthur Krock, widely known New York newspapermen, also patronized Kolb's during their Louisville newspaper days.

Other famous personalities who frequented the little place of business in the old days were Pete Browning, baseball home run king of another generation; John T. McCauley, the theater man; and Emmet Garvin Logan, first editor of the Louisville Times.

The place was opened in 1865 by Tony Montedonico, Kolb's father-in-law. The original owner sold it many years later to a son-in-law, Larry Gatta, from whom Kolb purchased it. Kolb's has closed only twice since the place first opened for business. It was closed a few days during the Ohio River flood of 1937, which covered a big portion of Louisville, and Feb. 10.

was closed a few days for repairs in 1940.

Kolb's lease expires in a few days and he was unable to renew it. The owner, now 83, decided against moving to a new location.

FATE OF CHILD'S EYE IS UNCERTAIN

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—(P)—Attendants at the eye, ear, nose and throat hospital here said today that it will be "some time" before doctors are certain whether or not yesterday's surgery was successful in saving the left eye of a Pascagoula, Miss., boy, victim of a firecracker accident Christmas Day.

The boy, four-year-old Elliott McGrey was described as "resting well" today. His left eye is swathed in bandages.

Elliott's eye was injured in an accident which occurred at the McGrey family home in Pascagoula.

Yesterday doctors said they did not know if the boy had "much of a chance" to ever again see with his left eye. At the same time, however, they said they had not given up hope.

PRE-MARDI GRAS OPEN

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—(P)—Pre-Mardi Gras festivities opened here last night on the heels of the annual visit of Santa Claus. The Krewe of Fantasy opened the carnival season with its annual ball, the first of a series to be held between now and Mardi Gras, Feb. 10.

STABLE, COAL PLANT DESTROYED BY FIRE

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 27.—(P)—Two fires, one of which threatened to explode stored chemicals, destroyed a big waterfront coal plant and a 250-foot stockyard stable today in a howling northeast storm.

Four fishing vessels tied up alongside the Randall and McAllister Wholesale Coal Company wharf were damaged when a blazing, 400-ton loading tower crashed on them.

The blaze ignited nearby Merrill's wharf and for a time threatened the surrounding waterfront area.

H. Kezar Libby, general manager, estimated the coal company's loss at more than \$300,000.

John F. Sullivan, manager of the F. O. O'Hara Fish Company, said his concern's loss was at least \$25,000.

The storm was responsible for the wharf fire, Fire Chief Oliver T. Sanborn reported. The wind, racing more than 30 miles an hour at the time, battered a high-tension wire against the side of the coal company building causing a short-circuit, the chief said.

The chemicals were in a 100-foot shed a dozen feet from the burning stable—used to shelter horses awaiting shipment to Europe's farmers after the war—in the freight yard of the Canadian National Railways. The chemicals were owned by the adjacent Portland Rendering Company.

Cause of the stable fire, which started in hay, was not determined.

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INFLATION

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means committee to consider a \$5,600,-\$65,000 a year income tax cut. Knutson offered the tax-slashing measure in the last hours of the special session that adjourned December 19.

2. Chairman Taber (R-N. Y.) of the House appropriations committee will launch a new effort to slash federal spending.

Taft, while saying the Senate G. O. P. policy committee would consider income tax reduction and general tax revision proposals, noted that tax legislation must start in the House.

While Republicans argue that tax reduction would encourage larger production, needed to ease inflation, Mr. Truman regarded a large tax slash as a definite encouragement to inflation, by increasing the spending money that bids up prices of scarce goods.

However, some members of congress believe the president himself might look kindly on a "cost of living" tax reduction for smaller income persons.

On the budget cutting issue, Republicans themselves were unable this year, prior to passage of the detailed supply bills, to agree on how much Mr. Truman's \$37,500,000,000 budget for fiscal 1948 should be cut. The Senate voted a \$4,500,000,000 slash; the House put the figure at \$6,000,000,000.

Democrats and Republicans never could agree just how much the president's budget actually was cut.

While Taft took the position that spending estimates must await more knowledge of European aid costs, Rep. Taber and other Republicans have voiced new determination to trim government costs, without delay.

25 OTHER ISSUES ARE SUGGESTED BY TAFT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(P)—Senator Taft (R-Ohio) said today the Senate Republican policy committee will consider, along with anti-inflation and foreign aid proposals, some 25 other issues.

They include such controversial domestic issues as tax reduction, anti-poll tax legislation and proposals to raise the minimum wage rate.

Taft supplied the following list of measures which he said are being pressed on the committee, which he heads, but explained that the decision on their disposition will be left to the committee:

1. Civil Service retirement, which he said he personally would "like to get out of the way," by an agreement on the form of the bill.

2. The House approved Mundt bill to authorize the foreign information service in the state department.

3. A House approved anti-poll tax bill.

4. A proposal for statehood for Hawaii, which Taft said will be covered by specific recommendations by Senator Cordon (R-Ore.) when the latter returns from Hawaii by January 20.

5. Federal aid to education.

6. A housing bill on which Taft said he hopes to get all elements to agree, and which he thinks should be passed in the new session.

7. The railroad reorganization bill now on the Senate calendar.

8. A measure creating a department of health, education and security, also on the Senate calendar.

9. A long-range agricultural program to supplement the price sup-



4 YOUNG PREACHERS AT RIDGE AVENUE CHURCH



Shown above are boys who will deliver sermons at the night service of this church tonight. They are (left to right) Huey Meador, 17; Arlen Jackson, 17; Louis Wilhite, 15, and Ray Bryant, 14. Below are shown (left to right) Miss Doris Brown, special church musician and student in Christian educational work, who will assist with the program. Buddie Butler also will participate as evangelistic singer.

day, left in its wake a snowfall exceeding that of the fabled blizzard of '88 by five inches. It lasted 15 hours and 45 minutes and at its height, between 3 and 4 p. m., pored more than three inches of snow on the metropolis.

Emergency crews plowed through mountainous snow drifts on New Jersey's route 25 to bring coffee and food to hundreds marooned all night in cars and buses. Motor plows were unable to make their way to the Strand because the cars blocked the streets.

Thirteen deaths were reported in New York State. New York City and the Metropolitan area received the heaviest fall but Albany was covered by 18 inches of snow.

New England recorded 15 deaths due to the storm, with geographical distribution as follows: Connecticut, six; Massachusetts, four; Rhode Island, two; New Hampshire, two, and Maine, one.

The Boston weather bureau reported a new storm developing in South Hudson's Bay and said it might hit Maine by tomorrow night.

Hundreds of motorists were stranded on the Merritt Parkway and on the Worcester and Newburyport turnpikes, main New England thoroughfares. All planes were grounded. Trains were running several hours late and most bus trips were canceled.

Pennsylvania, with two deaths attributed to the storm, had the lightest snowfall. Twelve inches in the Pocono mountains was tops for the state's Christmas dinner.

Mr. Fisher relates that he discovered that turkeys have many ailments. One of the most prevalent is worms which he says find lodgment in the throat and choke the bird to death. One of his two remaining birds had such an attack and Fisher, after using all known remedies, applied a dose of snuff which the turkey reluctantly accepted. Next day she was perfectly well, probably thus avoiding another siege of the remedy. But at another time, a turkey contracted something resembling pneumonia. He resorted to penicillin which was applied at the hip—a place hard to find on his turkey, he admitted. But the bird recovered and all ended well for the family and bad for the bird at Christmas.

The New York Metropolitan area still was snarled on the Long Island railroad, linking the city and Nassau and Suffolk counties. Steam locomotives shovelled their way through the snow covered tracks but electrical sections of the road were badly disrupted.

Hundreds of passengers were stranded in chilly trains through the night with one group of 400 spending ten hours huddled in seven cars after embarking on a normally 20 minute trip from Pennsylvania station to Flushing, Queens.

The Fifth Avenue Coach Company and New York City Omnibus Company, after sending out some buses early today, ordered all 890 buses on 33 lines out of service at least until stalled cars were removed from the streets.

The storm-affected areas included most of the seaboard north of Washington, with northern New Jersey, eastern Massachusetts the hardest hit. Most of the rest of the nation was free of precipitation yesterday, except the Pacific Northwest coastline where rain fell.

The eastern snow area had the coldest temperatures, with the bulk of the country enjoying warmer than seasonal weather. However, the temperatures in Southern California there Long Beach reported a maximum of 87 Friday, moderated, with readings generally in the high 70s, and the unusually mild northern plains area was somewhat cooler Saturday.

Other eastern cities, less hard hit, nevertheless struggled to restore normal traffic and public services jammed by the snow.

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Efforts of workers to clear the city main thoroughfares were complicated by below-freezing temperatures but city officials took solace from the fact that the weather bureau said no new snow was in sight.

New York's Mayor William O'Dwyer, cutting short a California vacation, boarded a plane at Los Angeles today to return to the city. He said he would travel as far as possible by plane and if necessary complete the trip by train.

Metropolitan New York newspapers, which were able to make only token deliveries to newsstands yesterday, announced their Sunday editions would go to press at least 30 minutes earlier than usual tonight.

A Northwest Airlines plane bound for Detroit and Minneapolis was the first out of LaGuardia Field since early yesterday. A special crew of

HEADS COLLEGE ROYALTY



Miss Annie Lou Beavers of Kilbourne was elected "sweetheart" of the Veterans Club of Northeast Junior College just prior to the Christmas dance sponsored by the organization and given in the college gymnasium where she reigned over the festive affair. Miss Beavers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Beavers, is a freshman home economics major. Graduating from high school as valedictorian, she entered N. J. C. as a scholarship student in September. Continuing to maintain her high academic rating, she was the only student to score a 3.00 or perfect average for the first nine-week period of the fall semester at the local college.

MORE NAMES

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Commodity Exchange Authority conducted an investigation of alleged gambling on the Chicago commodity market in August or September "and never made it public."

"It seems to me that Secretary Anderson should have released that information first instead of coming out with lists of legitimate traders in the market," Andresen said.

"It could not be possible that he did not know about it."

"If my information is correct, these employees were in a position to get inside information on the government's commodity buying policies."

Andresen told the agriculture secretary that since the Commodity Exchange Authority "has long since completed its Chicago investigation" of the alleged speculation by the federal workers, "I trust you'll provide the committee with the desired information by January 2, 1948."

In the same letter, Andresen rapped the secretary of agriculture in connection with the two lists of traders already released by Anderson on December 22 and 26.

"While these lists of traders may be of interest to certain persons, the names given are of little value to the House committee because you have failed to designate if any of the persons named have been or are in the employment of the federal government," the Minnesota legislator said.

In addition to asking for the names of the 200 workers, Andresen also asked Anderson for the names and addresses of every employee on the payroll, since July 1, 1945, of the Commodity Credit Corporation and the Commodity Exchange Authority throughout the country.

"The committee will conduct an investigation into the speculative commodity operations of government employees," the letter continued. "Our investigation will be fair and complete. We desire facts, and we propose to get them without injuring innocent persons who have not profited by 'inside' information on government commodity buying policies."

In addition to names and addresses, Andresen told newsmen, his committee wants to know what happened, if anything, to the 200 government employees.

The Senate investigating group headed by Knowland is a five man group appointed by Chairman Bridges (R-N. H.) of the Senate appropriations committee, the special House committee under Andresen is a seven man unit.

BRITAIN, RUSSIA SIGN TRADE PACT

LONDON, Dec. 27.—(P)—An Anglo-Soviet trade agreement providing for barter of Russian grain for British machinery was signed tonight in Moscow, the board of trade announced.

The new trade pact—which the president of the board of trade, J. Harold Wilson, told the House of Commons earlier this month had been agreed to "in principle"—ended months of negotiating resumed after a stalemate last summer.

The agreement was signed at 8 p. m. Moscow time (noon) Eastern Standard Time, a board of trade spokesman said.

He said the pact would be in operation five years. Under it, Britain will receive more than half a million tons of coarse feed grains from Russia's 1947 harvest, with shipment to begin from Black Sea ports the middle of January.

In return, she will send Russia timbercutting and transport machinery, civil engineering equipment and heavy electrical machinery, including mobile generating plants.

The spokesman said Russia was uncertain as to the quantity of grain she could supply from subsequent harvests. No wheat is to be included in the early shipments.

Details will be discussed from time to time during the life of the agreement, the next negotiations being scheduled for May, 1948, the spokesman added.

TWO FARMERVILLE MEN ARE INJURED

Two Farmerville men were injured early yesterday morning when their automobile overturned in a ditch four miles west of Sterlington on the Farmerville-Sterlington road.

Injured were Charles Kennedy, 21, driver of the car, and Wayne Gidden, 20, employed at the Commercial Solvents Co. of Sterlington. Both men were reported to have been veterans of World War Two.

The two men, taken to the St. Francis Sanitarium by a Mulhearn ambulance, were reported not to be in serious condition. Kennedy was said to have suffered a badly lacerated nose and minor cuts and bruises, while Gidden escaped the accident with only minor bruises and lacerations. Both are being kept in the sanitarium for further treatment.

Kennedy's father said the accident occurred when his son fell asleep while turning a curve. The car, a 1946 model Ford five-passenger coupe, was reported to have been badly damaged.

ACCUSED SLAYER TAKEN TO MOBILE

MOBILE, Ala., Dec. 27.—(P)—Mobile county officers returned here late this afternoon with Barney Reed, 47, of Hattiesburg, Miss., who is charged with murder in connection with the slaying a week ago of a 21-year-old night club employee.

Reed surrendered to Mississippi authorities after Alabama highway patrolmen found the body of Robert L. Davis in a car parked on highway 99 near Mobile. Davis had been shot through the temple.

Reed's attorneys told Mississippi officers that the older man shot Davis in self-defense in a "family squabble" over the custody of the five-year-old daughter of the dead man's wife and her former husband, Reed's son.

Sheriff W. H. Holcombe said Reed is being held without bond awaiting a preliminary hearing on the murder charge.

Federal prisons in the United States are under control of the U. S. attorney general.

ENTERS BUSINESS

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Miss Emma Louise Biedenharn, former president of the Monroe Garden Club, presides over the silver coffee service in the George Lester home where members of the Monroe Garden Club entertained with their annual Christmas tea. Others in the picture, left to right, are: Mrs. J. W. Gaines, Mrs. A. G. McHenry and Mrs. Robert Layton.



Mrs. J. Hunter Thatcher alternated at the coffee service at the Monroe Garden Club tea. To the left is Mrs. Gilbert Stovall and to the right is Mrs. R. D. Whitecotton.



Miss June Sherrouse, lower left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sherrouse, lovely member of the younger set is home from college to spend the holidays with her parents at the Frances Hotel. She and her mother entertained at breakfast last week for the Kellogg-Normann wedding party.

The engagement of Miss Charlotte Naiden, upper center, to Mr. James Wood, III, son of Mrs. James Wood, Jr., and the late Mr. Wood, of Troy, Ala., is announced today by her mother, Mrs. Earl Naiden.

Mrs. George Snellings, Jr., and Mrs. A. K. Kilpatrick, lower right, enjoy a chat over the coffee cups at the Monroe Garden Club Christmas tea.



Grace Episcopal Church Is Scene Of Season's Most Fashionable Nuptial Event

Miss Kellogg Is Mr. Normann's Bride

Young Couple Leave Via Airways For New York
Following Their Wedding

Calla lilies arranged in artistic sheaves created a superb setting at Grace Episcopal church for the wedding, December 22, of Miss Rhoda Kellogg, lovely blonde daughter of Mrs. Thomas Leigh and Mr. David Richard Normann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Normann of New Orleans.

The hour of the wedding, seven-thirty o'clock in the evening, found fashionable Monroe arriving at the church where they were escorted to their seats by the groomsmen, in evening attire and white carnation boutonnieres. They were: Robert Normann, Ronald Lee Davis, Jr., Aylmer Montgomery, Jr., L. C. Stratmann the third, Harvey Killeen, Hubert Walker, Captain Richard A. Faust.

The lighting of myriad cathedral tapers by the acolytes, was definitely a part of the impressive ceremony. While the tapers were being lighted the organist rendered "Liebestraum," "Clare de Lune," and "Traumeri." The soloist, Mrs. E. M. Wootten, sang "The Rosary," and "Ave Maria."

The pews reserved for members of the two families and intimate friends, were marked with sprays of Calla lilies tied with immense bows of white illusion. Calla lilies also banked the low window sills where lighted candles illuminated the handsome stained glass windows.

Mrs. Leigh, the bride's mother, walked down the aisle in a flattering

gown of azure blue crepe trimmed in silver. She wore a small hat of flowers and veiling and a corsage of orchids. Mrs. Normann, the bridegroom's mother, wore a beautiful gown of poudre blue crepe studded in cut steel beads. Her hat was a small conceit of black net and her corsage was of orchids.

The bride's grandmother, Mrs. O. M. Grisham wore a black lace model with small black hat and a corsage of orchids. Mrs. O. R. Lewis, the bride's aunt, wore a lovely evening model of beige crepe, sequin trimmed and an orchid corsage. The bride's only sister, Mrs. Richard Faust of Utah, served as matron of honor. Miss June Lewis served her cousin as maid of honor and the bridesmaids were, Miss Lucy Barrett of Charlotte, N. C., and Miss Helen Normann of New Orleans. They all wore classic gowns of leaf-green chiffon velvet. The skirts, extremely full, were made over hoops. Their halo hats of green velvet were quaint and flattering. They all carried graceful bouquets of

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BOOK REVIEW IS FEATURE OF DECEMBER MEETING OF WELCOME BRANCH CLUB

The Welcome Branch of the Twentieth Century Club met in the home of Mrs. E. A. Porter. The hostess, Mrs. H. V. Collins, was responsible for the beautiful flower arrangement.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. A. J. Speer, the president, who presided over the business session. Three guests, Mrs. Carroll Todd, Mrs. Ella Long and Mrs. Landby were introduced. Mrs. Tom Jett was appointed public safety chairman. The entire club responded to an appeal from the Salvation Army for volunteers during the Christmas season.

During December, the club program featured the romantic phase of American literature. Mrs. Henson Coon introduced Mrs. Joe T. Ray, one of the club's most talented speakers, who reviewed the book entitled "Toil of the Brave," by Englis Fletcher. Mrs. Ray said in part:

"'Toil of the Brave' is the fourth in a series of historical novels set in the Albemarle district of North Carolina. The series is published by the Bobbs-Merrill Company of Philadelphia and New York. The earlier books of this series are 'Raleigh's Eden,' 'Men of the Albemarle,' and 'Lusty Wind for Carolina.' In 'Toil of the Brave,' as in the earlier books of the Albemarle series, the pages reveal to the reader that Miss Fletcher is writing about her own beloved section of North Carolina. The book shows unmistakably her love of the land of the Albemarle."

"'Toil of the Brave' is a highly romantic novel and is filled with pagentry and color. In it the author succeeds in portraying the way of life of what might be referred to as the 'country club' set of colonial times. She reveals that gracious living goes on in the Albemarle country in 1779 despite dissension in the Continental High Command, lack of funds, low military morale and the advance of the British through the southern states. There are slave uprisings and mobs who attempt to take the laws into their own hands to deal with those suspected of being Tories. Miss Fletcher is superb in the handling of such mob scenes.

"In 1779 the memories of George Washington's bitter winter at Valley Forge are fresh and galling to North Carolina patriots. However, conspiracies against the great general run high. The American cause is at low ebb. Few southerners have comprehended the significance of the slow moving of the war to the south. In the great estates of the Albemarle country, family is divided against family. On one estate, the proprietor is a patriot; on the next suspected of allegiance to the crown. The feeling against the Tories runs highest among the common people. There is among many people complete indifference to the sacrifice which so great a cause demands. The leaders use all their eloquence to arouse a spirit of wholehearted devotion. How can enough fighting men be recruited? How can enough supplies be obtained? What can be done about the plight of the farmers who fight for a few months and then trudge weary home to till the soil? How can action be gotten from the assembly and congress? These are the problems which are presented in 'Toil of the Brave' in terms of fascinating personalities and dramatic conflict."

"'Toil of the Brave' comes to a great climax in the battle of King's Mountain where the back countrymen overwhelm the British led by Major Ferguson. This was one of the few decisive victories of the Revolution and marked the turning point in the war."

Next on the program was another outstanding speaker, Mrs. Thomas Jett, who gave an article from Holli-

Society Calendar

Documents On Freedom Train Will Be Printed

Endorsement of the proposal to Congress that copies of all the historic documents on the Freedom Train be printed for distribution to schools and reference libraries was announced today by the American Association of University Women.

The AAUW National Committee on Education meeting at A. A. U. W. Headquarters in Washington, D. C., voted a resolution favoring the plan and suggesting that the documents be printed in loose-leaf form so that they could be used for display purposes as well as for reference in book form. It was suggested that some such titles as "The American Heritage" be used for this collection of documents.

The very fact that thousands of people have stood in line to view the documents on the Freedom Train and that other thousands were turned away by the crowds, shows that there is a need for such a publication," said Dr. McHale, General Director of the A. A. U. W. "It is generally conceded that the quality and character of the history textbooks for our elementary and secondary schools fall far short of what might be desired, and such an edition of authentic source material would be of great educational value."

Mrs. Irwin Harper is convalescing in the Vaughan-Wright-Bendel Clinic and will be pleased to have friends call.

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ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BANQUET BRINGS MEMBERS OF THE FINE ARTS CLUB TOGETHER

Once again members of the Fine Arts Club gathered around the festive board in the Mirror room of the Frances Hotel for their annual Christmas dinner and a customary each year, sang lustily all the old familiar carols, with Mr. Leon Hammond, piano accompanist.

The table, of beautiful appointment, reflected a Christmas theme. Cleverly designed booklets, resembling a Christmas bell served as place cards. The menu was printed on a fly leaf and on the back the program was printed.

Mrs. Dolly Douglas made a gracious toastmistress, assisted by Mrs. Alto C. Faircloth, Mrs. Edward Dalton, Mr. Paul Duet, Mrs. Maud Mayo and Mr. Joe Craig.

In beautiful voice Miss Gertrude Sandrock sang several delightful numbers. She was accompanied by Mrs. Eloise Stanhope who also played a brilliant piano solo.

The genial after-dinner speaker, Dr. E. K. Means, in his inimitable manner injected much humor into his address. He said: "We do many things not from living reasons but because we are under the influence of long dead and vanished reasons. He illustrated by referring to men's clothes. Once all men wore knee length trousers. A king had a deformed leg and lengthened the trousers to the foot. The king is dead and the reason for the lengthened trouser is dead, but men are still dominated by that dead idea."

He illustrated the idea in education. The boy who enters college must study Latin. Long centuries ago in Europe where 416 languages and dialects were used it was absolutely necessary to have one common language for the education of the people. Latin was the one settled speech for pronunciation, grammar, and syntax were fixed so all the textbooks were written in Latin; all lectures were spoken in Latin; all teachers taught in that language which became the common medium of instruction and communication for the pupils, therefore every boy had to learn Latin. The reason for that is gone but your boy still studies Latin in college.

He illustrated by reference to government. Julius Caesar stood for the empire theory. We have his name today in our words "czar" and "kaiser." We speak of a ruler as an emperor. Caesar was called "Imperator." The empire monarchical military form of government was the only one known in the early Christian era and the early Christians of Rome transferred the monarchical form of government from the empire of Rome to the Catholic Church of Rome, from the pope who was Caesar down to the lowest official. The Methodist and Episcopalian churches are both monarchical in their form of government

and the Salvation Army has adapted the entire military idea. Caesar is dead, but Caesar's ghost still rules the world.

He illustrated by reference to our present religion saying that if we had been born in a Jewish community, brought up in a Jewish family, taught by a Rabbi, associated with all Jewish religious customs, it is likely we would have lived and died a Jew in religious belief. Most of us are Christians today because we have inherited all the Christian traditions, raised in Christian homes, taught in Christian schools and dwell in a Christian land.

He declared that every man, every person, should be able to give a living reason for the faith that it within him rather than to offer no excuse for being a member of a certain church other than the dead and vanished reasons that his father and mother belonged to that church.

Long centuries ago a Divine writer said: "If the truth shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed." The one aim and purpose of education is the breaking from the fetters of the past so that we stand forth in the glorious liberty of the sons and daughters of God.

Members and guests present were:

Dr. and Mrs. E. K. Means, Miss Gertrude Sandrock, Mrs. Eloise Stanhope, Miss Eleona Brinsmade, Mrs. C. C. Carroll, Mrs. Joe F. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dalton, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Duet, Miss Ladelle Duke, Mrs. Alta C. Faircloth, Mr. Leon Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Inabinet, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jones, Mr. Lowrey Jefferson, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lawson, Mrs. Henry Mayo, Mrs. Birdie Mae Mulherin, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Newman, Miss Cliflie Olmstead, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Selig, Mr. Joe Dean Selig, Mrs. W. J. Veazey, Mrs. Edna Whitehurst, Miss Marie Minard and Mr. Joe Daniels.

The W. S. C. S. of Sterlington Methodist Church met for its Spiritual Life meeting in the home of Mrs. C. R. Alexander, December 22.

The meeting was called to order by its president, Mrs. O. J. Parker. Mrs. Scott Horton led the devotional which was followed by prayer after which Mrs. Alexander, spiritual life leader, took charge of the meeting. All members joined in singing "Joy to the World" and a beautiful Christmas story was given by Mrs. R. E. Walton, "Alone On Christmas Eve." Little Don Alexander sang "Jingle Bells," assisted by his sister at the piano. Ethel Alexander gave the story of the writer of "The Night Before Christmas."

All members participated in a Bible contest which was very enjoyable.

The hostess then invited the members into the dining room where the table was beautiful with white lace cloth, red candles and huge poinsettias as a center piece. Molded salad, sandwiches and cookies of all kinds were served to the following guests: Mmes. Parker, Miller, Burson, Walton, Sinclair, Day, Broyles, Guley, Davis, Brooks, Easterling, Causey, Wimbish, Horton, Britt and the hostess and her three daughters, Pat, Peggy and Ethel.

Besides carrying off four of the five thoroughbred awards of 1947, Calumet Farm gained three second places in the Turf and Sport Digest annual poll.

MEMBERS OF REVIEW CLUB ENJOY THE HOSPITALITY EXTENDED BY MRS. SMITH

The Review Club held its regular meeting in the home of Mrs. Sam Smith where colorful arrangements of berries and silver bells created an atmosphere of holiday festivity in the spacious reception suite.

After the reading of the club collected by Mrs. C. V. McGimsey, the business session was conducted by Mrs. D. M. Moore, vice-president. This included the roll call, reading of the minutes, correspondence, treasurer's report and a special message from Mrs. Sam Levy, president of Louisiana Federated Clubs.

Mrs. E. P. Cudd, chairman of the advisory board, introduced the speakers of the afternoon, Mrs. Z. J. Byrd and Mrs. A. T. Givens, and announced the topic of discussion as English Writers of the last Century with these words: "How many people today read Thackeray or George Eliot or any other of Laura Hinkley's Ladies of Literature? Probably Jane Austen is the most popular, then Emily Bronte with Wuthering Heights, some of Mrs. Brownings love poems and sonnets. But as for the others, even Charles Dickens lives on in only a couple of novels. Quite Sairey Gamp or Mr. Mantalini to anyone under forty and you will be met with an uncomprehending stare. Yet people keep on writing about these authors, especially the Brontes. Their books are re-issued in reprint editions, and perhaps they may know some future renaissance akin to Anthony Trollope's in recent years."

Mrs. Byrd ably reviewed The Showman of Vanity Fair by Lionel Stevenson, a Scot who has lived most of his life in the United States. He is now professor of English at the University of Southern California. "There have been few biographies or sketches of Thackeray partly because he told his writing daughter, Lady Ritchie, that he wanted none. Showman of Vanity Fair is both a sympathetic and well-informed account of the novelist, and a vivid picture of literary and fashionable society in mid-nineteenth century London, Paris, and the United States. Thackeray's life was a sad one, but he struggled gallantly to make provision for the two daughters and feeble-minded wife; he had his enjoyable moments as tourist, clubman and lecturer. The American tour is particularly engaging, and the whole book is enlivened by Thackeray's own amusing drawings."

Mrs. Givens' excellent review of Ladies' of Literature by Laura L. Hinkley was both informative and entertaining. "It consisted of six D. MASUR AND SONS

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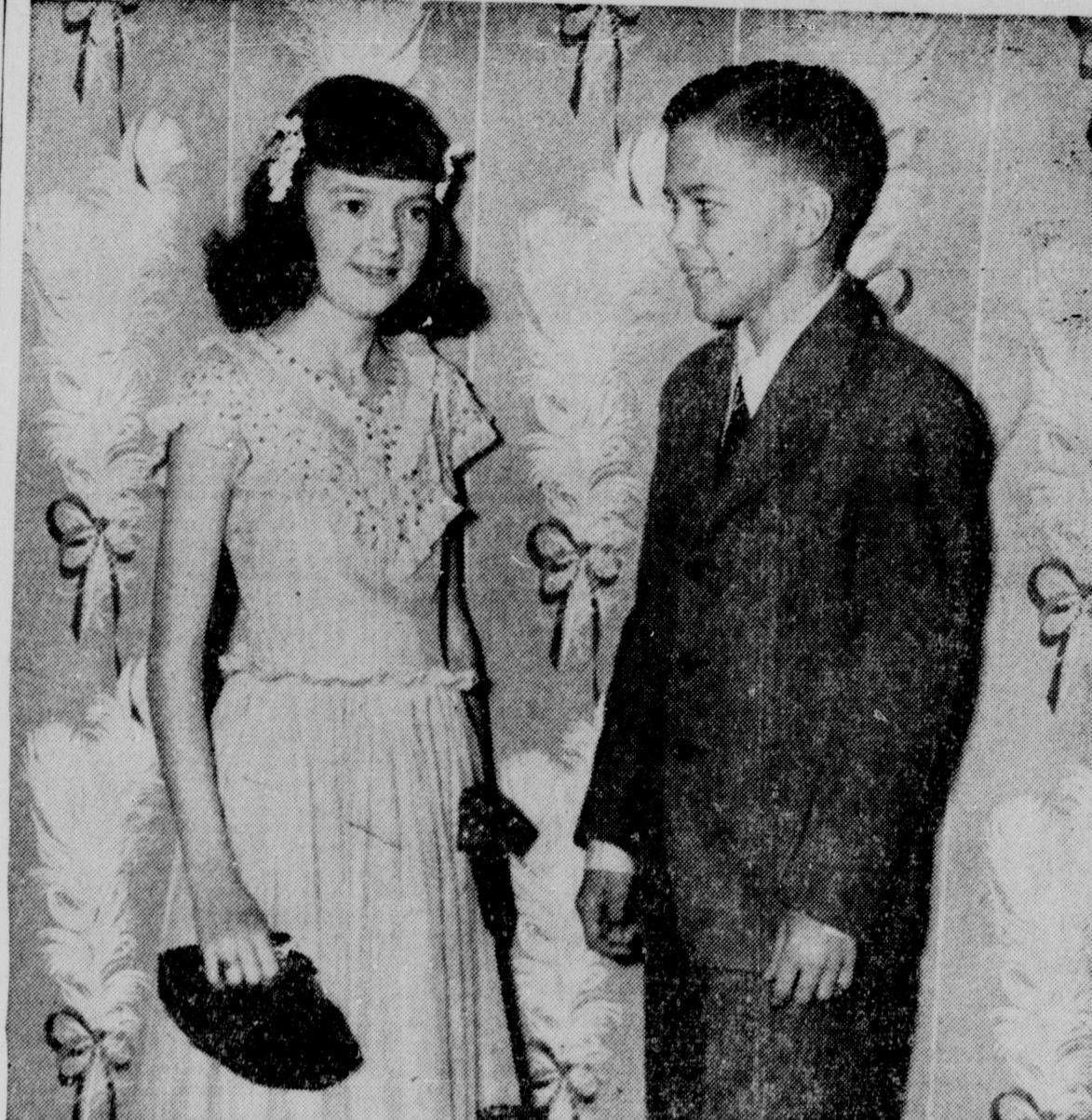
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UNIQUE GREETING HIGHLY CREATIVE

Irene Reid's Originality Receives Widespread Approval

Front pages of the Morning World and News-Star were photographed and small pictures of the advertising women of the papers were scattered through a Christmas tree setting, together with the announcement: "Season's greetings from the all-girl advertising staff of the News-Star—World, Monroe, La., Irene Reid, advertising director." At the foot of the tree were presents displayed.

The 15 personable young women smiled forth from the page in strikingly lifelike manner. The idea was original with Irene Reid and when these "first pages" were rolled for mailing they were tied with ribbons and made an appearance like that of a calendar when first handed to recipients.

Nearly 2,000 of these unique and original greetings went out to subscribers, to advertising agencies, and to newspapers from coast to coast. Everywhere they attracted wide attention and approval.

Of the many letters that have been received acknowledging receipt of these greetings, one is reproduced herewith as it is highly appreciated by its recipients. It is as follows:

"Dear Irene: Your originality as exemplified in the clever greetings is convincing proof of your ability to head the staff of the News-Star-World. I welcome this opportunity to wish you and your entire staff a happy and prosperous New Year,

"Yours very truly,
W. John Sherouse."

YOUTH IS INJURED BY EARTH CAVE-IN

Charles Butler, 16, of Point community, was in the Wright-Bendel Clinic yesterday recovering from minor injuries received Friday afternoon when over a ton of earth caved in upon him while he was engaged in digging a roll call for the Tennessee Gas Transmission Company.

The table depicted in ingenious manner a snow scene with a miniature, snow covered church. Bride and groom figurines, leaving the church and figurines of bride and groom entering the church, told of the wedding in the past and the one in the future.

Mrs. Robert Leyton, Mrs. William Harper and Mrs. Clyde Brown, mothers of the hostesses, assisted in the courtesies. Mrs. T. O. Bancroft and Mrs. Thomas Leigh also assisted.

More than a hundred members of the younger set, many of them home from college for the holidays, were among the guests calling during the receiving hours.

VISITS GRANDPARENTS



Miss Linda Ann Riddick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riddick, formerly of Monroe, now of New Orleans, who is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Arnold and Mrs. Bess Riddick.

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A nuptial mass of interest to a wide circle of friends took place at St. Matthew's Church, December 9, at

of nurses at St. Francis Hospital School of Nursing in Hamtramck, Michigan.

The groom was graduated from Nevile High School and received his Bachelor's and Medical degrees from Tulane University. Dr. Sampognaro served in the Medical Corps of the U.S. Army for 3 years. Since his discharge he has been a practicing physician in Monroe.

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SOUTH'S ALL-STARS WALLOP NORTH, 33 TO 6

GRIMES SPARKS GRAY ELEVEN TO IMPRESSIVE WIN

Virginia Star Leads Way As
Dixie Wins Sixth Game
Of Series

By Chick Hosch

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 27.—(P)—Flashing a well-balanced attack and taking advantage of its opportunities a hand-picked Southern eleven defeated a similar team from above the Mason-Dixon line here today, 33-6, in the tenth renewal of the Blue-Gray football game.

The outcome was never in doubt after the Rebels flashed to two touchdowns early in the game and carried the fight to their opponents to the delight of a partisan capacity crowd of 22,500.

It was the South's sixth victory in nine tries and the most decisive of the series.

The South, alert to its opponents' mistakes, had scoring chances early in the game when fumbles cost the losers the ball twice inside their 20-yard line. Neither produced a score, but that was the last opportunity the Rebels missed.

They went 43 yards for the first score, and then tallied on movements of 14 yards, one yard, 20 and 77 yards. The North cashed in on a 74-yard drive in the second period to make it 2-6 at intermission, but never got past the South's 38 at any other time.

George Grimes of Virginia sparked the South team with two touchdowns and three extra points, and kept the North eleven at bay with brilliant punting. Grimes scored first from the one after Dan Sandler of Louisiana State and End John North of Vanderbilt had gained most of the ground. Ray Drost of Tennessee, blocked Lou King's (Iowa) punt to set up the first score.

Sandler intercepted a pass from King in the second period and ran 41 yards to the North 14 and then passed nine yards to Bob Weir (Virginia) who made a diving, rolling catch in the end zone.

The North came back 74 yards with the kickoff mostly on ground plays with Dick Deranek (Indiana) going over from 14 yards out. His 26 yard run just prior to that was the longest gain his team made.

Wash Serini (Kentucky) blocked Eddie Delan (Syracuse) punt at the North's goal and Sandler picked it up at the 15. He lateraled to Bill Moseley (Kentucky) who batted to the one and Sandler scored from there.

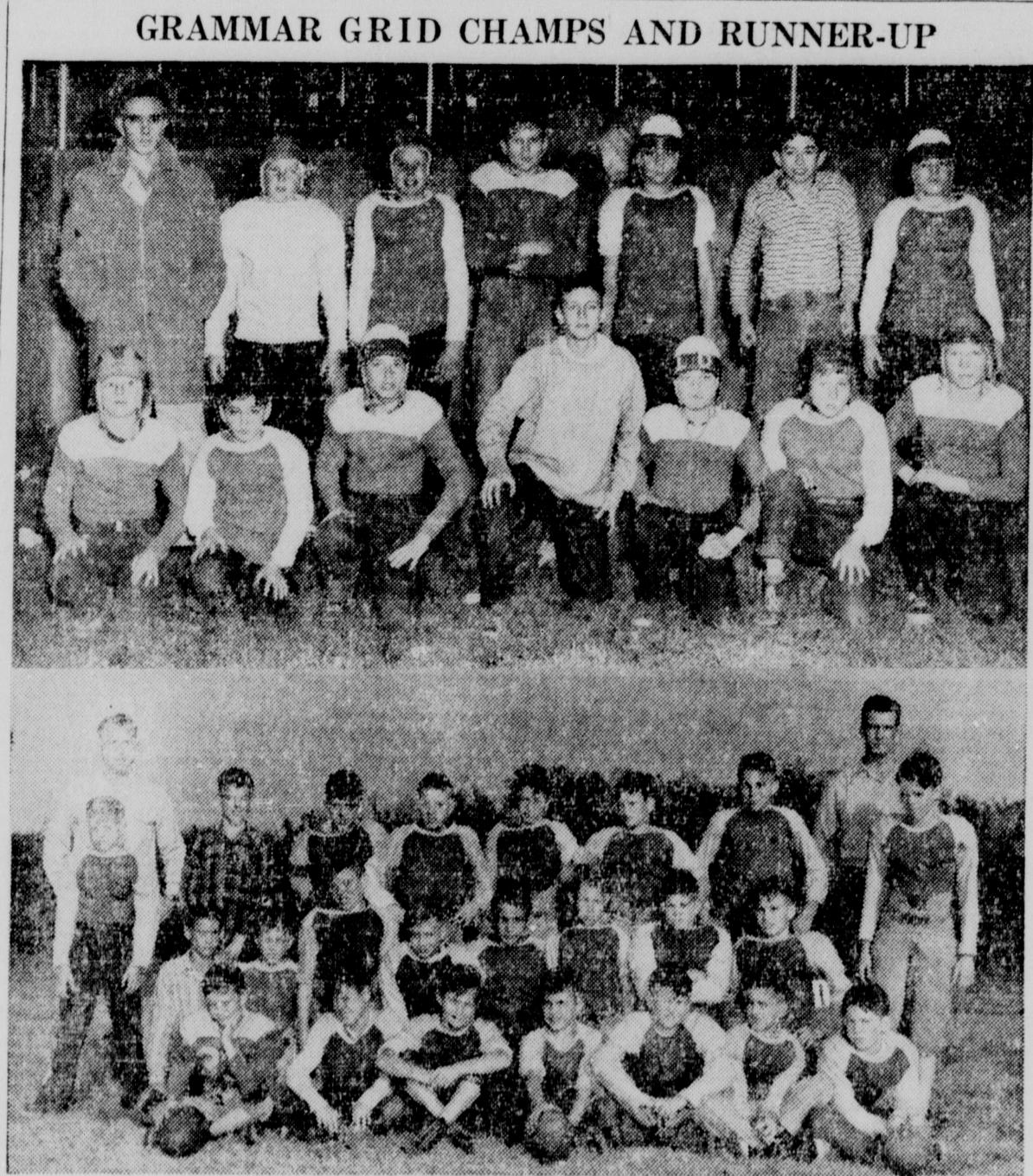
Roland Nabors (Texas Tech) intercepted another King pass at the North 35 and lateraled to Sandler who went to the 20. In two tries, Sandler went to the three from where Grimes scored. That made it 27-6 as the third period ended.

The North moved 23 yards, 19 of them on two passes from Joe Neiman (Temple) to Ken Wilgten (Northwestern), to reach the South 38. Then Hal Stockbridge (Rice) intercepted Neiman's pass and ran back 31 yards to midfield to spike the threat.

Starting at its 23, the South drove to the final touchdown on ground plays with Charlie Richkus (N. C. State) and Stockbridge carrying the brunt. John North made the game's longest run during the movement, going 33 yards to the North 34. From the 10 yard line with 15 seconds left, Joe Smith (Texas Tech) took a pass from Batchelor in the end zone.

The first downs were even at seven each but the South had an edge in net yards rushing, 109-101, and in passing, 49 to 101. Each team completed eight passes, with the South trying 21 and the North 23.

The lineups:



News-Star—World Photos
The Ouachita Grammar School football team (top, above) won the championship of the Grammar School Football League here recently by defeating Barkdull Faulk (bottom, above) in their championship playoff. However, Barkdull Faulk led the league into the playoffs and had scored two victories over Ouachita in regular season play. Members of the squads are as follows, left to right: Ouachita—kneeling, Berry, "Botsy" McLanahan, Pote, Joe Thurman, Cartrett, Takewell, Warlick, and Smith. Barkdull Faulk—front row, Jimmy Hunt, Kenneth Fowler, Charles Hampton, Carl T. Wright, Joe Lucy, James Bayles, and Jimmy Lee; second row, Bill Hart, Gabe Fontana, Gerald Curry, Francis Keever, James Vickers, Dewey Chienier, Tommy Bass, George Fontana, Jimmy Heslep, and James Hudson; back row, Coach George Whitlow, Manager Emmitt Smith, Pete Heslep, Bobby Gammel, Buford Crawley, Jimmy Barr, Will Sam Schatz, and Coach R. W. Graves.

LEGION TO DECIDE TITLE IN TOURNAMENT

Fifth District Cage Meet To Be
Held Early Part Of
February

RUSTON, La., Dec. 27.—(Special)—Fifth district American Legion basketball teams will operate with "free lance" schedules until the second week of February when the district champion will be determined in tournament play, Larry J. Fox, district athletic officer, said here today.

Because teams of the district are so widely scattered, Fox said, it was decided not to conduct league play for the championship. Instead the teams will be encouraged to play each other, high school, and college teams until February 12, when a tournament will be called to decide the district's entry into the state championship tournament.

The district champions of the state must be certified not later than February 15, Fox said.

Teams must be registered for district play not later than January 15, Fox said.

Allen Parker Emerges From 'Hiding' To Challenge Curtis To Tag Match

Clements And Mel Peters
Lined Up For Mat Feature
Tuesday Night

Allen "Sailor" Parker, the veteran brawler of Nashville, Tenn., emerged from what Promoter Gus Kallio termed "hiding" this week to challenge Jack Curtis, former world's light heavyweight champion, to meet him in a tag team match here Tuesday night.

Promoter Kallio said Parker had named as his partner for the event that rowdy Texas villain, Ray "Cowboy" Clements, while Curtis will appear on the scene with a newcomer to the southern mat circuit, Mel Peters of San Francisco, Calif.

"I don't know where Parker has been hiding for the past few months," Kallio said last night. "I've been trying to get him for a few shows recently but he couldn't be located. Suddenly, Parker shows up with plenty of talk and ambition about wanting a clash with Curtis.

"It seems that Parker and Curtis have become involved in some kind of argument. Parker, in requesting the match, declared Curtis has either lost his strength or turned into a regular sissy."

Apparently the Tennessee tussler was referring to Curtis' loss of the world's belt recently to Charlie Laye of Knoxville.

"I almost beat Curtis before, and now I feel I can do an even better job than ever before," Parker was quoted as saying. "The fans in Monroe, after seeing me again, will be ready to say 'Parker is improving, and Curtis is fading out.'"

Curtis and Parker in pre-war days were the bitterest of rivals, but in recent years they have often appeared on more congenial terms. Friendship budded between the two when Parker began to take an interest in Curtis' younger brother, George, and helped the younger member of the Vicksburg family along the mat trail. But if Parker's present talk is true, it seems that a rift has developed that puts them back on their old-time basis and another wrestling feud is on.

Parker, in picking Clements, selected one of the roughest light-heavies in the business for his partner, Peters, the Curtis choice, is reputedly a fine West Coast star ready to show southern customers some new tricks of the mat game.

Two one-fall preliminaries are scheduled to open the show at 8 o'clock. Kallio or Bill Barney will serve as referee.

Kallio hadn't planned to produce another wrestling show until January 6 before Parker came along with his proposition. There was no wrestling here the past week, the last show having been the Good Fellows' benefit affair Saturday a week ago.

HARRIS, WILLIAMS ARE RATED NO. 1 IN BASEBALL

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27.—(P)—Brooklyn Dodger President Branch Rickey, Manager Bucky Harris of the New York Yankees and Ted Williams, Boston Red Sox outfielder, were named today as No. 1 men of the year in the senior division by Sporting News.

It was the third such award for Williams, who was selected No. 1 player by the newspaper in 1941 and 1942. Rickey also was cited previously, in 1936, when he was vice-president and general manager of the St. Louis Cardinals.

Although most sponges live in tropical waters, some are found in polar seas.

More than 8,000 new varieties of dahlias were produced within a ten-year period.

Sheer Frustration Dept.

A story causing chuckles in eastern college circles concerns an eastern school which was threatened with a basketball "strike" because the varsity cages were getting only \$10 a week and the freshmen were averaging about \$7. It was settled by giving the varsity a raise. . . . "The funny part," says one informant, "is that they tell me the fresh can beat the varsity." . . . And the annoying part is that the guys who tell the story observe some "purity code" of their own and won't name the college.

HOWELL GOES GOOD IN MISS. BACKFIELD

UNIVERSITY, Miss., Dec. 27.—(P)—Earl (Dixie) Howell, of Taladega, Ala., a speedy running back in the Ole Miss offensive machine this season, was in fine trim today as the Rebels slumped through a rough session preparatory to the Delta Bowl game in Memphis January 1.

In a session devoted primarily to work on the Notre Dame offense, Howell ripped off several long trips that looked impressive.

Capt. Charley Conerly passed with his usual proficiency, hitting Bill Poole frequently. Jack Stribling, Poole's replacement at left end, was also an outstanding target of the afternoon.

Another Alabama boy, Will Glover, tailback replacement for Conerly, played with both the first and second teams against the third and gave promise of fine work should Conerly be taken from the game.

Part of the session was devoted to defensive rehearsal against T. C. U. passes and protection and coverage on punts.

One injury was suffered. Bobby Oswald, reserve quarterback, and the Rebels' point after touchdown expert, went out of practice with a damaged shoulder. He is still expected to see action against T. C. U., however.

Coach Johnny Vaught said he plans one more stiff work out for the squad Monday, and then will begin tapering off for the Jan. 1 encounter.

HENRY FRNKA BECOMES
PROUD FATHER OF SON

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—(P)—Tulane University's football Coach Henry Frnka is the proud father of a six pound, 10 ounce son, born this afternoon at 2:35 o'clock at Touro Infirmary.

The Frnkas have named the child

Edward Richard Frnka II, after the coach's father.

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GRAMMAR GRID CHAMPS AND RUNNER-UP



BOGALUSA, LAKE CHARLES IN 'AA' CLASH TUESDAY

Wildcats Invade Lumberjack
Camp For State Title
Battle

BOGALUSA, La., Dec. 27.—(P)—Bogalusa's contenders for the Class AA football championship of Louisiana went through a stiff workout today in preparation for the title tilt against Lake Charles here Tuesday night at 8 p.m.

Calisthenics, defensive strategy and ground offense were stressed as the Lumberjacks planned their strategy.

The entire squad, with the exception of Tackle Jimmy Keaton who has a broken leg, was in fine fettle today and indications were the Lumberjacks would be able to throw their full strength against the invaders.

On offense the team is depending primarily on Albert Burr, Raymond Billings and Lynn Wilson, backs.

Burr, unable to play early in the season due to an injury, came back to prove his worth in games against Istrouma and Holy Cross. His forte is line plunging and broken field running.

Billings has shown he has exceptional speed in skirting opponents' ends while Wilson, quarterback and ball handler in the "T" formation, has also displayed good passing ability.

The Lumberjacks have used the serial routes little in their last three games but may open up against Lake Charles, with Stratham chunking.

Defensively, the team is counting strongly on Donald Bates, guard and Center Rodney Ledet.

More than 6,000 fans are expected to pack the stadium. Ticket sales were reported brisk today, with only a few duds left.

The Bogalusa-Lake Charles game will conclude Louisiana's high school football program for 1947. Champions in other classes have already been decided with Ruston ruling the Class A ranks after beating LaGrange of Lake Charles in their finals, and Baker claimed the Class B crown after defeating Tallulah.

CATS CRIPPLED

LAKE CHARLES, La., Dec. 27.—(P)—With two prime players on the injured list, the Lake Charles High School football team is working lightly these days despite the nearness of its Class AA football title game with Bogalusa Tuesday night.

Coach R. S. Killen said he is doubtful if Ellsworth Kingery, prime ground gainer for Lake Charles, will be able to play in the title game.

Kingery suffered a leg injury in the game with Fair Park after fracturing an arm in the Corpus Christi, Tex., contest. In Corpus Christi he made 200 yards against the Texans where all other opponents had been able to gain but 34 yards.

Killen said Center Charles Pitzer was also on the hurt list following the Fair Park game but thought Pitzer probably will be able to play against Bogalusa.

Like Bogalusa, Lake Charles has depended on running plays for most of its gains this year, but it has scored a number of touchdown on pass plays.

In the Bogalusa encounter Killen will be depending primarily on Bob Rogers, 175-pound backfield sprinter; Harold Woods, wingback, and Woody Watson, as ball carriers from the box position.

Lake Charles has a rather light team, with a line averaging 161 pounds and a backfield tipping the scale at 160.

If we had Kingery playing, I would say we had an excellent chance of defeating Bogalusa," Killen said tonight. "But without him, we'll—"

He didn't finish the sentence.

**BROOM HOCKEY
TEAMS FORMING**

Roller Skaters Prepare For
January Tournament
At Kallio's

Broom ball enthusiasm was mounting at Gus Kallio's Arena the past week as junior and senior teams continued to organize in preparation for the "hockey on roller skates" tournament here January 1-2-3-4.

"Boys in both divisions are very enthusiastic about the roller skating game," Kallio said last night. "It's an exciting form of sport and recreation that has a spectacular appeal as well as a stimulating influence on roller skaters. The game is played like ice hockey except that brooms are used instead of clubs and roller skates are used instead of ice skates."

The teams started out using a ball, but Kallio said last night that it was becoming a great shortstop. . . . Only one player on Texas' traveling football squad for the Sugar Bowl is a non-Texan. He is End Dale Schwartzkopf of La Crosse, Wis., Georgia's 16 professional baseball teams drew 171,230 paid attendance during the 1947 season.

Practice rounds the past week indicated that the Monroe Bearcats of the senior division will be one of the strong contenders in their class. Members of the Bearcat team are K. Aswell, J. Robeau, C. Childers, J. Rainier, S. Walters, and J. H. Horne.

But the Bearcats' position as the favored club to win the blue ribbon of their class was being threatened by the yet unnamed team being developed by Ray Shirley that lost a 1-0 practice game the past week.

In the junior class, the West Monroe Cubs, headed by Tim Hinton, defeated the West Monroe Booger Bears, 3-2, in a hectic practice round. The junior class is expected to be hotly

Bloody Murder



GRAYSON'S 123456789 BORHE SCOREBOARD

By Harry Grayson
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27.—(NEA)—Complaints about players overlooked in the selection of NEA's 1947 Junior College All-America reflects the tremendous interest in the so grossly under-publicized jayses.

"Chaffey College of Ontario, Calif., won the national JC championship, and defeated the Cameron Aggies of Lawton, Okla., 39-25, before 55,000 persons in the Little Rose Bowl game, yet didn't place a man on the list," says sports editor Joe Wimer of The Ontario Daily Report.

"Such players as T quarterback Anse McCullough and end Bob Sachs, McCullough had a punting average of more than 46 yards, passed for 1,000 yards and 11 touchdowns. Sachs was a Little All-America nominee. It ain't right, says I."

"Southern California has three fast conferences of eight teams each, and is tops in intersectional competition. We should have more representation. Next year, could you let the jayses sports writers at least suggest players?"

"Something might also be said about the strong Northeast Junior College of L. S. U. Indians of Monroe, La., conquerors of Hillsboro, Texas, in the Junior Sugar Bowl. The Northeast Louisianians didn't get a place either yet sported outstanding players in Claude Brawner, great guard; Frank Cain, an outstanding tackle; and Oland Silk, Jerry Gregg, and Woodard Boys, backs.)

NEA's Junior College All-America was selected by the eight regional vice presidents and the coaches themselves.

Next year we'll have to consult the sports writers.

TED SCHROEDER FAVORED TO WIN BOWL NET EVENT

Top-Seeded Davis Cup Ace
Meets Tulane's Herren
In First Match

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—(P)—Ted Schro

FOUR UNBEATEN RECORDS AT STAKE IN BOWLS

CIGAR BOWL GETS ONLY TEAMS WITH PERFECT RECORDS

Cotton Bowl Has Unbeaten Teams But S. M. U. Was Once Tied

By Joe Reicher
NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(P)—Michigan in the Rose Bowl, Penn State in the Cotton Bowl and Westchester (Pa.) Teachers and Missouri Valley in the Cigar Bowl are the only teams with unblemished records which will participate in the 15 football extravaganzas on New Year's Day.

In all, the 30 teams boast an aggregate record of 241 victories, 47 defeats and 10 ties for a .334 percentage. Besides the four unbeaten and untied elevens, three others—Southern Methodist in the Cotton Bowl, Kansas in the Orange and Miami (Ohio) in the Sun Bowls—went through the regular campaign without a defeat. S. M. U. and Miami each were deadlocked once while Kansas was held even twice.

Headed by Texas, Georgia Tech and Southern California, nine squads lost one game apiece, eight dropped two games, a couple were on the short end of three games, while Texas Tech, Texas Christian, Arkansas and Georgia suffered four setbacks each.

Only two bowl games will feature battles between unbeaten elevens, with Westchester Teachers and Missouri Valley boasting perfect 10-0 records in the Cigar Bowl at Tampa, Fla. But for S. M. U.'s 13-13 tie with Texas Christian in its final game of the regular season, the Cotton Bowl at Dallas, Texas, would also have featured a clash between two teams with spotless records. At 0-1, the Mustangs will match their 9-0-1 record against Penn State's 9-0-1 figure.

The Rose Bowl opponents have a 1-0 and tie between them, both on Southern California's slate. The Trojans have won seven, Michigan, of course, knocked off nine straight opponents to capture the Big Nine title in a breeze.

Kansas and Georgia Tech, in the Orange Bowl at Miami, also show only one loss between them in regular season play. The Yellow Jackets of Georgia suffered that setback while winning nine. The Jayhawks, co-holder of the Big Six crown with Oklahoma, won eight and played two ties.

Wilberforce and Gambling, who meet in the Vulcan Bowl at Birmingham, Ala., each lost one game while winning 10. The Sugar Bowl at New Orleans brings together two of the strongest teams in the nation in Alabama and Texas despite the fact that neither was able to escape unscathed. The Crimson Tide after a slow start during which it lost two of its first three games, finished strong with seven straight victories. Only a 14-13 defeat by S. M. U. prevented Texas from finishing with a perfect 10-game record.

Two bowls will feature games in which both sides dropped a combined total of six games, but that probably won't prevent the teams from giving the spectators a fine brand of football. In the Delta Bowl at Memphis, Tenn., Mississippi, beaten twice in 10 games, will take on Texas Christian which has an ordinary 4-4-2 record. The Gator Bowl in Jacksonville, Fla., will present Maryland (7-2-1) against Georgia (7-4-0).

The remaining bowls are as follows: Dixie Bowl (Birmingham, Ala.)—William and Mary (9-1-0) vs. Arkansas (6-4-1).

Raisin Bowl (Fresno, Calif.)—College of Pacific (8-1-0) vs. Wichita (7-2-0).

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In addition to these 15 bowl games, there will also be the Shrine game at San Francisco, featuring the All-Star Eastern and Western squads.

MINIATURE RACERS MEET HERE TODAY

Miniature automobile racers from throughout the southern states will be in Monroe today for a regional speedway meeting at Bernsteins Park Hobby Center with the Monroe Power Model Association and the Monroe Recreation department as co-sponsors.

Although the event is not expected to exceed the Armistice day show that attracted speedsters from throughout the nation, today's show will be a good recreational event which is open to the public free of charge.

Many high speed cars are due to participate as the program is for the chief purpose of stimulating more interest locally and in the south in what backers call "the fastest growing sport."

The races will begin at 3 o'clock this morning and last throughout the day.

PHILLIPS 66 BEATS CENTENARY GENTS

SHREVEPORT, La., Dec. 27.—(P)—Centenary College played its best basketball of the season and Phillips 66 more than lived up to its advance notices here tonight and the result was a rousing 65-39 ball game for the benefit of nearly 2,000 fans who packed the Centenary gym to watch the National A. A. U. champion Phillips boys beat the Gents.

Phillips led only 21-16 at the half but turned on the heat in the final 20 minutes as Gordon "Shorty" Carpenter, ex-Arkansas ace reaching 67", tipped in 21 points and Lew Beck, a forward shrimp from Oregon State, tenacity 16.

DIMAGGIO 'MOST VALUABLE PLAYER'



Joe DiMaggio, New York Yankees outfielder and slugger, has been voted by the Baseball Writers Association of America as the most valuable player in the American League this year. He won the same honor in 1939 and 1941. His arm encased in a cast from a recent operation, Joe turns southpaw to handle a turkey drumstick for Thanksgiving day dinner in New York. (AP Wirephoto).

DOCKSTADER TRIUMPHS IN LOUISIANA HANDICAP

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—(P)—George Eabin's Dockstader won the \$10,000-added Louisiana Handicap at the Fair Grounds today, leading all the way and staging a driving finish to ward off Mrs. T. Maxwell's Fleetridge by a neck.

M. E. Rizen's Elkard was third, trailing Fleetridge by two lengths.

The winner was given a capable ride over the mile and a sixteenth distance by Jockey Charles McTague, and paid \$8.60, \$4.80 and \$3.60.

Attendance at the Fair Grounds today was 9,569. The bettors pushed \$34,389 through the mutual windows.

LOYOLA QUINTET DEFEATS HOYAS

Wolfpack Follows Smith, Trombatore To 65-53 Win Over Georgetown

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—(P)—Loyola of the South outplayed, outwitted and outlasted the mighty Hoyas of Georgetown University in basketball here tonight 65 to 53.

The Hoyas were strong offensively but the Wolfpack refused to yield and took possession of the backboards most of the game.

Jim Smith, elongated pivot, Sammy Trombatore and James "Red" Hultberg were standouts for the Loyola lads, with Trombatore leading the Pack in scoring with a brilliant 17 point total.

Smith and Bob Rehm had 14 apiece.

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COLLEGE SCRIBES PICK ALL-SOUTHERN ELEVEN

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—(P)—Sports editors of some 30 southern college newspapers have selected a 1947 All-Southern football team, on which only one school, the University of Mississippi, placed two players.

Ole Miss, Southeastern Conference champion this year, placed End Barney Poole and Halfback Charley Conerly on the cream crew. Conerly was the nation's most effective passer and Poole was his favorite target.

The All-Southern roster was selected under the auspices of Surf, southern intercollegiate magazine.

The selections announced today:

Player Pos. Team
Barney Poole E..... Ole Miss
Bob Davis T..... Georgia Tech
Knox Ramsey G..... William & Mary
Jay Rhodemyre C..... Kentucky
Herb St. John G..... Georgia
Dub Garrett T..... Miss. State
John North E..... Vanderbilt
Trombatore and Smith both fouled out of the contest in the final minutes of play.

Andy Kostecka, Kenny Browne and Ray Corley were tops for the Hoyas.

SUGAR BOWL FISH CLASS RACE WON BY GILBERT GRAY

Clark Wins With Lagonda In Sloop Event; Overton Tops Lightnings

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—(P)—Gilbert Gray, of the Southern Yacht Club of New Orleans, today won the fish class "race of champions" as the Sugar Bowl Mid-Winter Carnival of Sports opened with a sailing regatta.

Gray's win, his third in succession, came in the most exciting race of the day as the first four boats jammed up on the finish line and crossed within 30 seconds after Gray.

Second was Thomas Kemp, Biloxy, Miss., Yacht Club skipper, who trailed Gray by seven seconds. Bill Lurton, of Pensacola, Fla., Yacht Club was 25 seconds behind Kemp for third place.

J. W. "Rip" Terrell, of the Pass Christian, Miss., Yacht Club, finished fourth, 18 seconds behind Lurton.

Gray's place was R. Young, one of a large delegation of sailors the Fairhope, Ala., Yacht Club sent over for the regatta. Next was Dr. A. M. Hopkins, of the Gulfport, Miss., Yacht Club, then Gus Persson, of the Biscayne Yacht Club of Mobile, Ala., and finally Fred Stuardi, of the Mobile, Ala., Yacht Club.

The races started with a wisp of a northeast breeze that soon died and left sailors sitting on glossy waters until a light southwest breeze came up later in the afternoon.

There was another close finish in the race for Luders L-16 sloops, sailing in the Sugar Bowl regatta for the first time.

Lagonda, with Owner George S. Clark, of New Orleans, at the helm, won by a ten-second margin over Gail deJarnette's Lagniappe. Dolphin, sailed by John F. Dicks, Jr., was third.

Edward B. Overton, of Mobile, Ala., took the lightning class event.

He found the wind before most of the other competitors and rode from behind to best Mystery, sailed by Walter J. Kennan, Jr., of New Orleans, by one minute and five seconds. Ted J. Fontelieu, Jr., brought March II in third.

From there on it was Loyola's game, with the Hoyas able to tie the count but once.

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BASKETBALL Results

Chicago 73, New York 70.
Temple 73, Dartmouth 54.
Ohio State 68, U. of Washington 60.
South Dakota 64, Morehead (Ky.) 56.
St. Francis (Brooklyn) 79, Arizona 70.

Niagara 46, Southern California 43.
Eastern Kentucky 83, Furman 40.
Loyola of South 65, Georgetown 55.
Michigan State 57, Wayne 55.

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Missouri 41, Wyoming 39.
Seton Hall 46, Rutgers 43.
Bradley 72, Denver 54.
Emporia 62, Miami (Ohio) 52.
Phillips 66 Oilers 65, Centenary 33.
Riddle Inter-American 66, U. of Tampa 40.
U. C. L. A. 64, St. Joseph's (Philadelphia) 54.
Rochester U. 57, Case 44.

Friday Scores

Duquesne 56, Santa Clara 45.
Siena 58, Boston College 50.
Utah State 62, Lawrence Tech 58 (overtime).

Univ. Washington 61, Ohio State 55.
DePaul 54, John Carroll 53.
Baldwin-Wallace 76, Quantico Marine 55.

Hamline 49, Emporia (Kan.) State 41.

Beloit 73, Miami (Ohio) 49.

Miami (Fla.) 43, Pitt 40.

Evansville 67, Morehead (Ky.) 47.

Eastern Kentucky 70, South Dakota 49.

Minnesota 60, California 58.

Kansas 57, San Francisco 43.

Syracuse 69, Los Angeles Loyola 55.

Marshall (W. Va.) 56, West Texas 55.
Stanford 53, Oregon State 48 (overtime).

Brigham Young 68, Arkansas 58.

Sacramento Senators (A. A. U.) 69.

Springfield (Mass.) 45.

Idaho 52, Pepperdine 50.

CARDS SCRAMBLE WITH EAGLES FOR NATIONAL CROWN

Martin, Ivy Out Of Chicago Lineup, But Trippi, Harder Ready To Go

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—(P)—The Philadelphia Eagles and Chicago Cardinals held final dress rehearsals at Comiskey Park today and the rival coaches reported both squads were near peak conditions for the National Football League championship engagement tomorrow.

Jimmy Conzelman's Cards, favored by 10-12 points, were ready with a terrific one-two scoring threat with the combination of Fullback Pat Harder and Halfback Charlie Trippi. Both have been handicapped with injuries throughout the campaign and never have been able to go at full steam together. Tackle Caleb Martin and End Frank Ivy will be out of the Cards lineup tomorrow, but Guard Buster Ramsey is ready for action after missing four games.

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1,578 Bbl. Daily Increase For Ora; Field Assured New South Extension

Oakland Sector Once Again Proves FruITLESS For Wildcatters

Maintaining the meteoric stride it broke into within three months after its discovery, Ora field in Union parish has been granted an allowable of 8,411 barrels of oil per day in January—an increase of 1,578 barrels daily over December.

The boost for the entire Monroe district is 2,207 barrels daily—to the all-time record of 81,870 barrels a day—but all except 629 barrels are accounted for by the new Ora figure.

Some 200 barrels of the district jump are a result of utilization of 14 Murphy-Sun wells in the Delhi field, while the remainder represents a flat increase in production from other areas, Tullos-Urania and Lake St. John in particular.

The state as a whole passed the half-million mark for the first time with a daily allowable of 504,070 barrels—compared with 495,050 barrels a day in December, and with the 446,426 daily maximum for January of this year.

The new allowable lengthened the lead of the Monroe district over the Shreveport area, which was raised only two barrels to a total of 39,434 barrels.

North Louisiana's combined allowable is 121,304 barrels a day for January, while that for south Louisiana, which experienced the greatest production gains during the previous month, now stands at 382,766.

The Ora field is based upon 102 producing wells, a number which even now the field has passed. With the probability of at least a dozen and a half completions between the time the allowables were issued and the end of January, the actual production next month may well exceed 10,000 barrels a day.

At the minimum of 8,411 barrels a day, production from Ora will be worth an estimated \$21,000 a day for operators and landowners.

Most operations in Ora as elsewhere in the district were slowed or suspended entirely by the Christmas holidays, but the week did assure another extension of Ora to the south.

Preliminary tests at Sam Sklar's Jack S. Dykes No. 1, section 42-11W, were reported to have yielded 70 barrels a day flowing from a saturated sand between 2,147-58 feet.

A Schlumberger was said to have placed one Nacatosh sand at 2,072 feet and a second at 1,128 feet. Tests are being continued in preparation for an official gauge probably this week.

The Oakland sector yielded another disappointment for wildcatters in Union parish. Howard M. Jones abandoned a completely dry his Ritchie Grocery company No. 1 at 2,235 feet after an electric log in what was reported to be Nacatosh gave no indications of any saturation.

Location was in section 10-23-1W, two and a half miles west of the old Oakland field and two and a quarter miles north of Taylor-Kirby's Boone No. 1 abandoned the week before.

PAY TEST SLATED IN LINCOLN FIELD

Pipeline Tie-In Spurs Operations in Hico-Knowles Distillate Area

SHREVEPORT, La. Dec. 27.—(P)—When production string run to 8,510 feet in Hunt Oil Co. et al., B-9 Lewis Realty Corp., possibility of a rich, new gas-distillate producer loomed closer for the Hico-Knowles field of Lincoln parish. Spotted in section 26-20-4W, the well is presently waiting on cement before perforating end testing for pay.

If completed successfully, the test will be the first new producer in the parish since early October. Then the Big West Drilling Co. finalized the No. 1 Patton estate unit in section 6-20-4W, Lishorn field, from the Vaughn sand with perforations at 8,650-60 feet.

For the past three months the parish has experienced its greatest activity during the present year. Drilling was given impetus by the tie-in of the Texas Eastern Transmission Corp. with the gathering system of the field. Texas Eastern was granted an allowable of 75,000,000 cubic feet daily from six wells in the field for December. There are three other tests drilling in the Hico-Knowles field and two others in the parish.

In Baton Rouge, the state department of conservation in its weekly oil report listed completion of nine wells with combined initial daily production of 1,064 barrels, abandonment of two tests and issuance of 29 permits for new wells.

Completions outside the Monroe district were:

Beauregard parish, Longville, Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 1 Long-Bell, S36-15W, 59,900';

Caddo, Caddo, Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 58 Doan-Thigpen, S6-20N-15W, to chalk rock Oil City, Mills Tooke properties, Inc., No. 2 Packard, S1-20N-16W, 59,150'; Robert S. Graham No. 1 Kimball, S1-20N-16W, to Annonie chalk; Pine Island, Joe M. Burnham et al. No. A-9 Noel Estate, S1-20N-16W, to chalk.

Cameron, Black Bayou, Shell Oil Co. No. 75 Watkins, S8-12S-12W, 315 bbls, 9/64' choke.

Permits were:

Beauregard, Longville, Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 1 Long-Bell, S36-15W, 59,900';

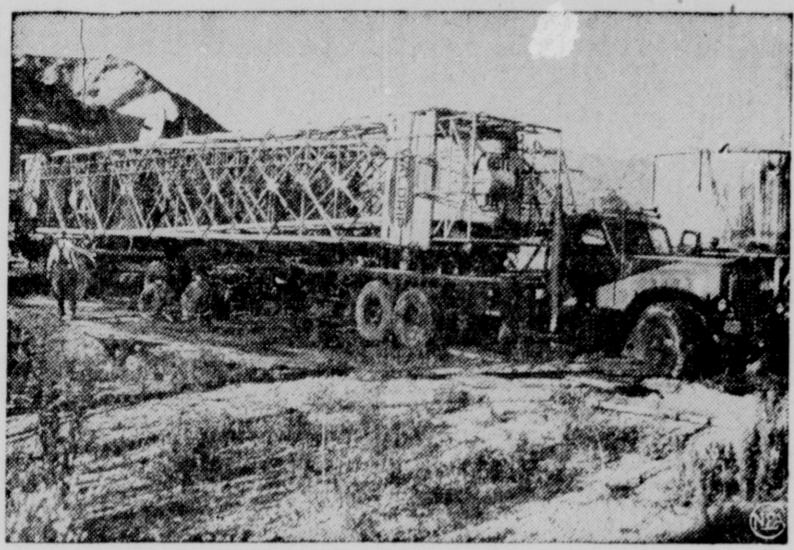
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Calcasieu, Edgerly, Sun Oil Co. No. 6 Hunter Company, S2-11S-11W, to 430'.

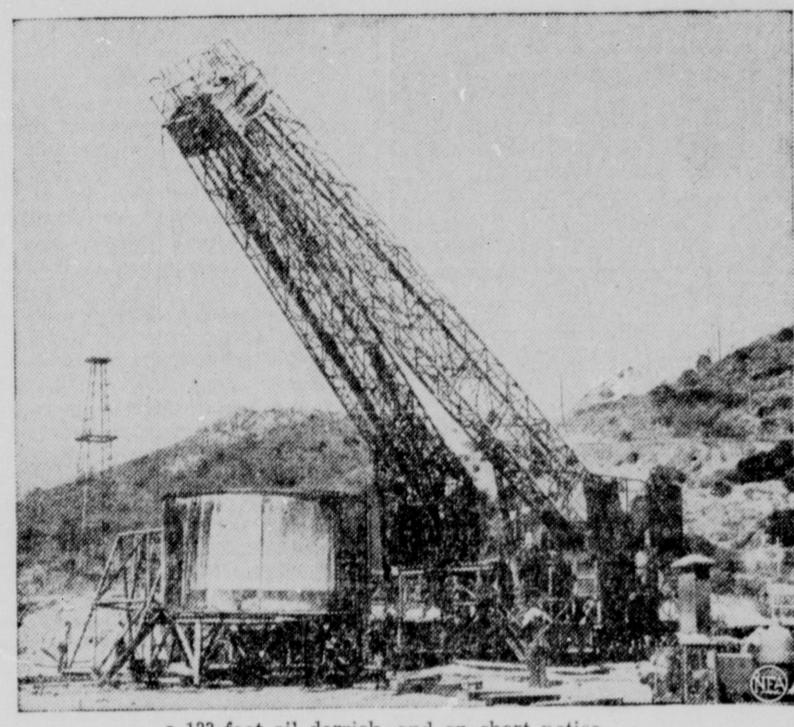
Clairborne, Lisbon, Union Producing Co. No. 1 Thurmon unit, S21-22N-4W, to 780'.

DeSoto, Converse J. H. Thamess No. 1 Mike Smith, S15-10N-13W, to Ozan sand.

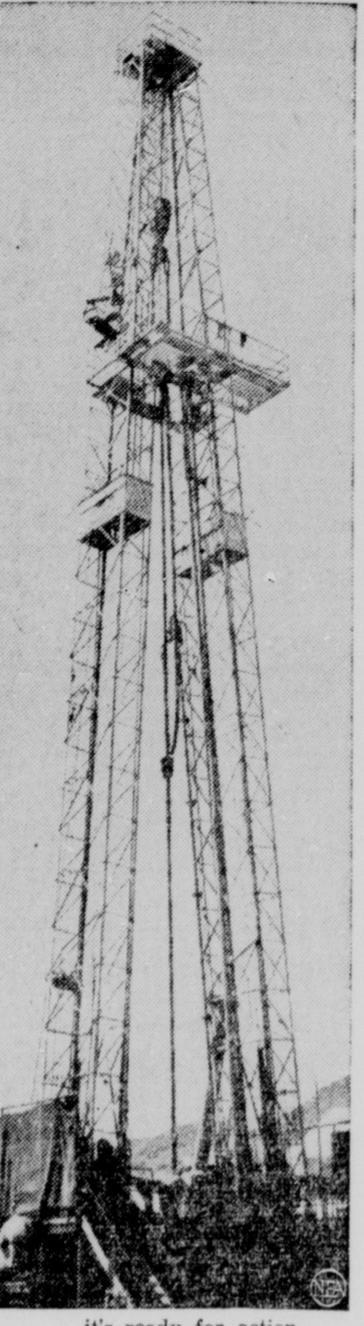
NEW MOBILE DERRICK SPEEDS OIL DRILLING



This 8x8x63-foot unit, when unfolded, becomes ...



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Peak Production, Earnings Bless Oil Industry In '47

By Richard Weil

Discovery of vast new petroleum reserves, plus a record of unprecedented production and earnings in 1947, confirmed the status of the gas and oil industry as Louisiana's largest enterprise and the undisputed ruler of the state's natural wealth.

Crude oil production up to the mid-4

of December soared to an estimated 170,000,000 barrels—compared with approximately 152,000,000 barrels in 1946—and the closing days of the month saw daily output pass the half-million mark for the first time.

The year 1947 also saw Louisiana clinch its place as third largest oil producing state in the nation, watched the oil and gas industry approach a billion-dollar value, and counted one out of every 10 workers in the state as employees of that industry.

In terms of income, Louisiana oil this year yielded close to \$400,000,000 for well-operators and landowners, while two recent purchase price increases shot the per-barrel worth up to an average of \$2.50, contrasted with \$1.80 per barrel at the beginning of the year.

The year was full of countless blessings for the industry, but 1948 promises a continuation of at least two major battles on which its fate may well hinge.

Foremost is the hard-fought but still undecided controversy over the rich coastal waters of the Gulf, where oilmen view extensive new petroleum reserves under the shadow of potential government ownership.

The ban on exports died and its role as one of the juiciest bones of contention vanished. But already there are ample signs of the issue being reconditioned for another showdown in the forthcoming elections.

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Green Light For Gas

Circled in bright red on the calendar of every gas producer in Louisiana is the momentous date of Thursday, March 20, when the state legislature overwhelmingly voted to scrap the four-year-old prohibition against exportation of natural gas.

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To forestall government regulation, Standard Oil of Kentucky established dealer quotas in Alabama and Florida, and other companies were considering following suit in additional regions.

Standard Oil of New Jersey, largest distributor in Louisiana, however, indicated it had no intention of instituting any controls.

Controls Unlikely

In Washington, government observers pointed to two reasons why renewal of production or consumer controls is unlikely:

In the first place, public opinion is strongly against them, and almost as important, a widespread system of rationing would entail too much trouble and cost.

The decision was forced by a legal challenge of the authority of trustees of the Sarah C. Getty trust in California to sell Pacific Western stock owned by minor members of the Getty family. Getty interests own approximately half of the outstanding stock of Pacific Western. This company owns about 47 per cent of Mission, which in turn owns 59 per cent of Skelly Oil stock.

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will meet in Fort Worth next month to draft a new wage program.

Labor Troubles Loom

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DOCTORS DISLIKE MONEY 'RED TAPE'

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—(P)—John L. Golob, national commander of the Disabled Veterans organization, said today that doctors resent the red tape attached to collecting their money after treating veterans who need medical aid.

Golob said in an interview that one doctor told him: "I would rather treat a veteran free than go through all the veterans administration red tape to get my money."

The D. A. V.'s national commander said his doctor's statement was repeated "less forcefully" by many others.

Golob said that "although the veterans administration is doing a fine overall job, out-patient treatment is very bad in 60 percent of the states. In 20 percent of the country it is good. In 20 percent it is mediocre."

Preliminary tests have confirmed indications of potential gas-condensate production from the Wilcox horizon between 5,506-12 feet. Drilled to a bottom of 10,442 feet the well was plugged back to 5,650 feet after negative findings in the lower zones.

Meanwhile Hunt is moving in equipment for the second of three tests on Louisiana Delta leases—this one in La-Salle parish, about a quarter-mile from the new completion and just north of the Catahoula, Avoyelles, and La-Salle lines.

During the past spring, Hunt leased more than 100,000 acres of Louisiana Delta and Tensas Delta lands in the immediate area, with an agreement to drill at least two tests within a year to the Lower Cretaceous formation. Later Hunt sold Gulf Refining one-half interest in all the acreage with a corresponding split in the drilling costs.

A new distillate producer, and a northern extension of the Franklin parish Killen's Ferry field is Atlas and Sohio's Chicago Mill and Lumber No. 1, section 33-14-9E, about 5 miles east of Winnibon.

Official gauging is not expected for some time because the lack of any means of transporting or disposing of the gas is certain to result in the well's being shut-in.

Two Marshall railroad men said Monday that they had seen the bear shuffle off the tracks and disappear in a woods near Marshall. Other residents also reported sighting the bear.

The rumor had it that the bear had escaped from the circus and that it was trapped yesterday.

At winter quarters of the circus at the State Fair Grounds here, animal attendants stated that Beatty does not have any bears to escape and that none was captured in Texas by them.

Trained bear acts in the circus performed are supplied by trainers who contract with the circus for summer work but who are not at the winter quarters, they said.

Initial tests between 6,584-97 feet flowed an estimated 2,370,000 cubic feet of gas and an indeterminate amount of distillate through an 8/64-inch choke.

Earlier tests from 6,680-88 feet yielded 7.6 barrels of 66 gravity distillate and 173,000 cubic feet of gas in 12 hours. The hole was plugged back for completion in the upper sand of the Paluxy.

Less than a mile to the east, Sohio has decided to abandon the Ayer Timber B-2 after discouraging potential showings.

Perforated for 6,740-70 feet in the Paluxy, the well yielded a meager quantity of colored distillate.

Previously on a 10-minute drill stem test between 6,744-6,753 feet recovered one stand of mud and a gallon of distillate. Total depth was 6,907 feet in the lower sand of the Paluxy.

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MAJ. GEN. CATES BOLD TACTICIAN

Incoming Commandant Of Ma- rine Corps Has Illus- trious Career

Major General Clifton B. Cates, who on January 1, 1948, accepts the appointment as commandant of the marine corps, has a long and illustrious record with the marines as a fighter, strategist and leader.

Early in World War II, as a colonel, he commanded the First marine regiment in the initial assault on Guadalcanal and led the Fourth marine division through the seizure of Tinian and the battle for Iwo Jima during World War II.

For his outstanding achievements in a position of great responsibility as commanding general of the Fourth marine division, prior to and during the Iwo Jima operation, from February 10 to March 20, 1945, General Cates was awarded a gold star in lieu of a second distinguished service medal. His citation reads in part, "A bold tactician, he landed his force on the southeast shore of the island against heavy enemy resistance and defying the terrific, continuous bombardment laid down by enemy guns located strategically on high ground which afforded direct observation and complete coverage of his entire zone of action, pushed his relentless advance . . . through the shifting volcanic sands."

"Repeatedly disregarding his own personal safety, Major General Cates traversed his own front lines daily to rally his tired, depleted units and by his undaunted valor, tenacious perseverance, and staunch leadership in the face of overwhelming odds, constantly inspired his stout-hearted marines to heroic effort during critical phases of the campaign."

General Cates was born August 31, 1893, in Tiptonville, Tenn. A graduate of the University of Tennessee, he reported for active duty in the marine corps as a second lieutenant on June 13, 1917, at the marine barracks, Port Royal, South Carolina.

He sailed for France in January, 1918. As a member of the Sixth marine regiment he participated in the Aisne-Marne defensive (Chateau Thierry) where he was both gassed and wounded, and in the Aisne-Marne offensive (Soissons) where he was wounded for the second time. He also took part in the St. Mihiel offensive, the Meuse-Argeonne offensive (Champagne), and the Meuse-Argeonne offensive (Argonne Forest).

He was a member of the army of occupation in Germany following which he sailed for home in September, 1919.

He was awarded the navy cross for bravery in the Aisne-Marne defensive (Chateau Thierry) where on June 6, 1918, while advancing on the town of Bourges, he led his command to the objective "Despite the fact that he was rendered temporarily unconscious by a bullet striking his helmet. Exposing himself to extreme hazard, he reorganized his position with but a handful of men."

In addition, the general was awarded the distinguished service cross with oak leaf cluster, the Croix de Guerre with two palms and a gold star, and was twice cited in the general orders of the Second division, AEF, and once by the commanding general, AEF.

Upon return to the States he was successively assigned duties as aide-de-camp to the major general commanding and aide at the White House to President Woodrow Wilson and the commanding general, department of Pacific, San Francisco.

In 1923, he went to sea as commanding officer of the marine detachment aboard the USS California, returning which he was stationed at the marine corps base, San Diego, Calif., with the Fourth marine regiment.

After recruiting duty at Spokane, Wash., and Omaha, Neb., and a year with the American Battle Monuments Commission in Washington, D. C., the general went to foreign shore duty in July, 1929, for three years at Shanghai, China, with the Fourth marine regiment.

In July, 1932, he was assigned as a student at the Army Industrial College, Washington, D. C., and upon completion of the course joined the Seventh regiment. In September, 1934, he became a student in the senior course, Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va., and upon graduation was ordered to headquarters marine corps, where he assumed duties with the war plans section, division of operations and training.

General Cates again went to foreign shore duty in August of 1937, where he sailed with the Sixth marine regiment for Shanghai, China, as commanding officer of the Second battalion. He joined the Fourth marine regiment in March, 1938.

Upon return to the States in 1939, he attended a course of instruction at the Army War College, Washington, D. C., and upon graduation was appointed director, basic school, marine barracks, Philadelphia.

In May, 1942, following this country's entrance into World War II, General Cates became commanding officer of the First marine division, and as part of the First marine division, reinforced, led the regiment in the seizure and defense of Guadalcanal from August 7 to December 22, 1942. For outstanding leadership in this capacity, he was awarded the Legion of merit.

Following a return to the States, he became commandant, Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va., which position he held until returning to the Pacific to become commanding general of the fourth marine division in the final days of the battle for Saipan.

He proceeded to lead the division in the seizure of Tinian Island in July, 1944, and continued on as commanding general through the Iwo Jima operation. For his part in these two operations, he was awarded the distinguished service medal and gold star in lieu of a second distinguished service medal.

December, 1945, he was ordered back to this country and given duties as president of the marine corps equipment board, which position he held until assigned as commanding general, marine barracks, Quantico, Va., in June, 1946.

In addition to the navy cross, distinguished service cross with oak leaf cluster in default of a \$350 bond.

INCOMING COMMANDANT OF MARINES



Major General Clifton B. Cates, who on January 1 will assume his new duties, has a long and distinguished record in World War II.

GUERRILLA

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forces battled to reopen highway communications with the garrison. The Communists were firing from hill positions covering the road and were aided defensively by the snow which hampered movements of government troops.

Field reports said the government column was making a determined effort to recapture the vital Bourzouani bridge, 11 miles west of Konita on the road to Ioannina. During the bitter engagement in that sector guerrilla's holding the bridge made several attempts to infiltrate through a mountain pass but suffered many casualties.

Northeast of Kalpaki, 20 miles above Ioannina on the road to Konita, the relief column smashed a strong guerrilla defense point.

A third army communiqué said 95 guerrillas were killed and 63 taken prisoner in this city, died at her home in Hamlin, W. Va., Saturday morning as a result of a stroke suffered on Tuesday.

The general is presently commanding general, marine barracks, Quantico, Va., with additional duty as commanding general and aide at the White House to President Woodrow Wilson and the commanding general, department of Pacific, San Francisco.

17 KILLED

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United States consulate were fired upon last night by unknown persons. The fire was returned.

One Jew was found dead in an Arab bazaar in Haifa and another in the Haifa cemetery.

An Arab drove for the army and was found dead in a government forest area.

A Haganah raid on a Bedouin camp in the Haifa area killed one Arab and wounded two others. Within the port city itself gunfire from a passing car killed another Arab. A Jew was found shot to death near Athlit south of Haifa.

One Jew was killed near Jerusalem's Jaffa gate and an Arab woman died when an Arab encampment near Jericho road was sprayed by bullets.

Two Jews were killed while defending the water pipeline to agricultural communities in the southern Palestine desert.

Palestine police divided the casualties since Dec. 1 in this way: Jews, 123 dead, four missing, 50 seriously injured, 208 wounded. Arabs, 162 dead, 155 seriously injured, 270 injured. They listed the civilian dead at four, the army nine and police two.

In addition, said the police, the various police formations suffered 12 fatalities, while similar Arab groups had two killed. They placed the total of dead, wounded and missing at 1,064.

Dispatches from Bucharest quoted an authoritative Jewish spokesman as saying that two ships, the S. S. Pan Crescent and S. S. Pan York, flying the Panamanian flag, left Burgas, Bulgaria, with 15,000 Jewish refugees.

The dispatch said the Jews had visas for a "South American country" but were believed bound for the eastern Mediterranean, presumably Palestine. Both ships had been waiting at Constanta, Romania, for about two months. The ships, each of 5,470 tons, had been converted from cargo to passenger ships.

Informants at Beirut, Lebanon, said the Trans-Arabian Pipeline Company, which is building a 31-inch line from American-operated fields and underwrote a series of operations so she could wear artificial legs, is using those legs in earnest these days—walking the streets looking for an apartment for herself and her husband.

The pretty young woman, married five months ago to William Haggard, illustrator and cartoonist, has spent her married life with relatives and has been searching the city for "a place of our own."

The 22-year-old bride, born without feet, underwent several operations a year ago to enable her to wear artificial legs. Her savings were soon exhausted, but newspaper stories of her plight brought donations of \$3,000.

HELD FOR DRUNK DRIVING Gordy Jones, 45, of Linville, was arrested early last night by Monroe police officers and charged with drunk driving and damage to property. Jones, lodged in the city jail, is being held in default of a \$350 bond.

COMMUNISTS

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Communists from the General Confederation of Labor (C. G. T.) because of the Communist-led strikes, has led the C. G. T. to initiate an extraordinary effort to get new members.

A government informant said an order from the Communist party central committee had gone out to all cells to rush preparations to be ready for "any eventuality from Jan. 15 on." There was no confirmation of this order from Communist spokesmen.

The government informant said a similar tightening up in organization was being undertaken by the Communists in Italy.

Two other developments of significance in French politics took place in the last week of 1947. The first was the announcement by followers of Gen. De Gaulle of the organization of a youth movement to be known as the "Rassemblement de la Jeunesse Francaise." The second was the split in the French labor movement brought about by organization of the anti-Communist "Workers Force" under the leadership of Leon Jouhaux.

DEATHS

GARVIN H. GRANGER

Funeral services for Garvin H. Granger, 28, student flier who was killed instantly when his plane crashed southwest of Winnfield Tuesday afternoon, were held at 2 p. m. Saturday in the chapel of the Hall Funeral Home with the Rev. C. E. Antley, officiating. The body was taken to the Evergreen Cemetery in Mauston, Wis., for interment.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Granger of Monroe; one son, Edgar Darren; six brothers, Willard, Walter, Harold, Marvin, Donald and Gerald; all of Mauston, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Granger, also of Mauston.

Granger was reported to have wandered some 50 miles off his course on a cross-country flight from Greenville, Miss., to Monroe. The crash occurred during an attempted forced landing on State Highway 5, about nine miles southwest of Winnfield.

MRS. WILMER BALDWIN CASON

Funeral services for Mrs. Wilmer Cason, 52, of Monroe, who died suddenly Friday night in her room at the Monroe hotel, were held Saturday at 3:30 p. m. in the chapel of the Hall Funeral Home with Miss Lee Joenner, assistant pastor of the First Methodist Church of Monroe, officiating. Interment followed in the Riverview Cemetery under the direction of the Hall Funeral Home.

She is survived by one son, L. D. Cason, Jr.; three sisters, four brothers, and her mother, Mrs. J. W. Baldwin of New Orleans.

Pallbearers were John King, J. P. Simmons, George Bruce, Wesley Walters, Jim Tolson and Frank Simpson.

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DOKEYS ARE TO FLOCK TO CITY

Groups From Three States To Assemble For Monroe Ceremonial

A big Dokey ceremonial is planned here Monday, it is announced by W. L. (Bill) Rothermel, Royal Vizier of El Miro Temple No. 197, Knights of Khorassan. There will be delegations here from Sareptor, Minden, Vicksburg, Jackson, Laurel and Meridian, Miss.; Little Rock, El Dorado and Hot Springs, Ark.

The Royal Vizier wants all Dokeys to get all Tyros and other Knights who are not Dokeys to come out Monday. Dokeys are asked to wear their fez. Street work will be at 4 p. m. in charge of Homer Chilton and Ted Van Laningham and others. Supper is planned for 6 p. m., and the ceremonial will get under way at 7 p. m.

Lonnie Blake, chancellor commander of Stonewall Lodge No. 8, Knights of Pythias, reminds all Knights that the first meeting of 1948 will be held Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in Castle Hall, 127 1/2 St. John street. The rank of page will be conferred and all candidates are to be present. It is desired to have a 100 per cent attendance. Refreshments will be served.

Malaria exists in 36 of the states in the United States.

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WINNER OF \$1,600 CHECK



Hunt Studio, West Monroe. Photograph of Pat McHenry, retail salesman for the Trenton Appliance Company, West Monroe, is shown receiving a check for \$1,600 from Bendix Home Appliances, Inc., as a first prize in a recent sales contest. Making the presentation to McHenry is G. F. Becker, general manager of United Electric Service. The page entry was McHenry's completion of the statement, in less than 25 words, "I like to sell Bendix automatic washers because—" McHenry knew nothing of his winning until the check was handed to him on Christmas eve.

THE NATION TODAY
By James Marlow

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Writing to a congressman is something a lot of people do.

Besides voting in the elections, writing to your congressman is about the best way you can take part in the government.

Letters from the people back home tell a senator or representative from day to day how they feel about important issues.

And when such an issue comes along, the letters will help him make his mind up, or even change it.

Organizations know this well. They hit congressmen with a bale of mail on a bill they want killed or passed into law.

But do you know how to write to your congressman? Here are a few things to keep in mind:

Every senator and representative has his own office. He doesn't have to pay rent for it. It's in a government building.

And every senator and representative has a staff to help him with such things as mail. These assistants are paid by the government.

The congressmen's offices are not in the Capitol itself. That's only where they meet to debate and vote.

The senators all have their offices in one building—the Senate office building, which takes up a square block—just across the street from the Capitol.

There are only 96 senators so they can all be placed in one building. But there are 435 representatives. So they need more room.

In fact, they need two buildings. One is called the Old House office building, the other the New House office building.

They face each other across a street which is on the opposite side of the

Capitol from the Senate office building.

If you want to write your senator, you make his Washington address the Senate office building.

If you want to write your representative, it doesn't make much difference whether you know he's in the New or Old House office building.

If you address him at the House office building, he'll get the letter.

If you want to write your congressman, you can do it this way:

Hon. John Jones, M. C., House (or Senate) Office Building, Washington, D. C.

If you write to your congressman about something that concerns his office work—such as a bill—you don't have to enclose postage to get a reply.

He can answer you without any cost to himself. That's because of a law which gives him what is called a "franking" privilege.

This means that, when sending out mail on official business, he can send it free of charge.

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Mackenzie's Column

By DeWitt Mackenzie
(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)

The significance of the proclamation of a rebel Communist state in northern Greece is that it represents another important tactical move in Russia's determined drive to gain control of the Dardanelles strait and so set herself up as a Mediterranean power—an ambition which also plagued the czars of generations past.

To understand developments we must recall that the Dardanelles now is under control of Turkey who, bolstered by America and Britain, has sturdily rejected Moscow's demands for joint administration of this strategic waterway. The Turks figure that "joint" administration shortly would lead to Red domination.

A glance at your maps will show that Greece thrusts down from the Balkan peninsula into the Mediterranean to the west of the Dardanelles, thereby providing a powerful base either for defense of the strait or for operations against it. At this writing Greece, like Turkey, is in the camp of the western democracies and so is a bulwark safeguarding the status quo of the Dardanelles. Russia, for very obvious reasons, wants to gain domination of Greece as a stepping stone to control of the strait.

That brings us up to current developments. The Greek monarchy has been fighting for its life against Communist rebellion which a United Nations commission of investigation found was being fostered by Russia's satellite nations bordering Greece—Albania, Yugoslavia and Bulgaria. It long has been a foregone conclusion that the rebels would establish a Communist "state" at earliest possible date. This, when recognized by the Communist countries to the north, would permit them to render more aid to the rebels in the effort to overthrow the Athens government.

It's a grapevine operation which the Reds project. If the new government can hang on, we may expect to see a great intensification in the assault against the monarchy. Should that be overthrown, it would immediately be replaced by a Communist government affiliated with Moscow, like all the other Balkan states except Turkey. Then would come fresh pressure to force Turkey to concede Russia's demands in the Dardanelles.

The leader of the Red rebellion is one "General" Markos Vlafides, who is said to be a capable leader and a good organizer. Thus far he seems to be carrying the site of his capital about in his hip-pocket. Fierce fighting is proceeding in northern Greece near the Albanian and Yugoslav frontiers, and the "general" has succeeded in keeping the whereabouts of his headquarters—presumably seat of government—a dark secret.

Vlafides' proclamation of his new state brought quick repercussions in Athens. The government announced the rounding up of some 300 people in connection with a Communist-inspired plot to assassinate prominent Greek politicians, including former Prime Minister Gonatas.

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The cotton spinner, a curious sea animal, defends itself by spinning sticky threads to engulf its enemy.

Two night employees of Massey's Truck Stop, an all-night service station on Highway 80 near the West Monroe city limits, told conflicting stories yesterday, officers said, but one thing was certain—an interloping thief had walked away with a cash register containing \$225 in cash without being seen.

West Monroe police who answered a call for help shortly after 5 p. m. Saturday morning said that Thomas Wilson, 23, of Monroe, and his Negro helper, William Beasley, claimed that the cash register, with the night's receipts, had disappeared while the two were sleeping inadvertently sometime after midnight.

P. E. Massey, Monroe service station owner who operates the station, reported later that the employees had stated that the register must have been taken while they were servicing an automobile outside the station.

Later Saturday, deputies from the sheriff's office had taken over the case from West Monroe officers who had answered only as a courtesy. They were continuing the investigation of the missing machine and its cash contents.

Miss Pat Alexander rendered several piano selections after which the assemblage joined in singing Christmas carols. Ethel, small daughter of Mrs. Alexander, distributed the gifts and presented Mrs. W. R. Davis, club president, with a beautiful gift from the membership.

Mr. Brown was the club's guest of honor and was most entertaining. The hostess, assisted by her three lovely daughters, Peggy, Pat and Ethel, served a delicious buffet supper to the following: Mr. Brown and Mesdames Burson, Davis, Hall, Carter, Sinclair, Miller, Broyles, Britt and McQuiller.

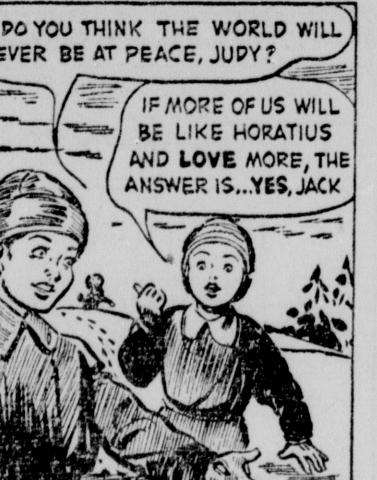
Rheumatism is comparatively rare in warm climates.

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Two night employees of Massey's

JACK AND JUDY IN BIBELAND

The Star (Read the Bible Story of "The Star" in St. Luke) By Robert Acomb



TRADES COUNCIL WILL BE MOVING

Last Meeting Slated For St. John Street Hall On Monday Night

The Monroe Central Trades and Labor Council will hold its last meeting of 1947 Monday night at the Labor Temple on St. John Street. Final arrangements for relinquishing the hall will be discussed. After January 1, the council will meet on Monday nights at the Carpenters hall on Hall Street.

A number of charters and other property belonging to organizations which have been meeting at the St. John Street hall for several years have not been removed and yesterday an official of the council urged that it be removed before December 31, when the council's lease expires.

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I'll Be Seeing You—Popeye

Latest News

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5 BIG DAYS SUNDAY THRU THURSDAY

Mickey IN A NEW ROCK'EM, SOCK'EM TYPE OF ROLE!

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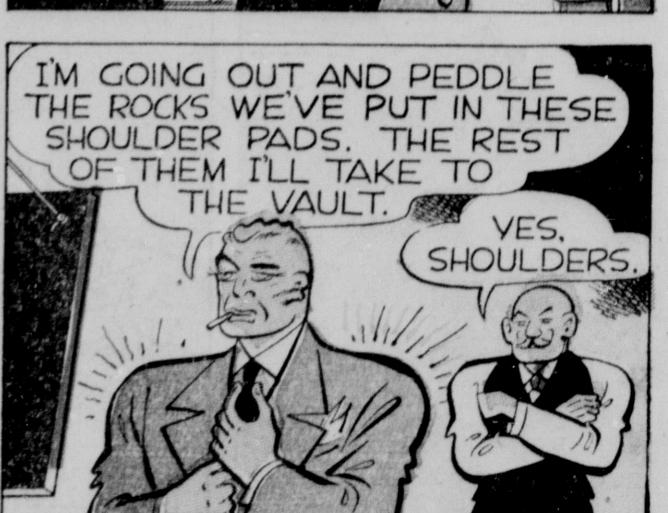
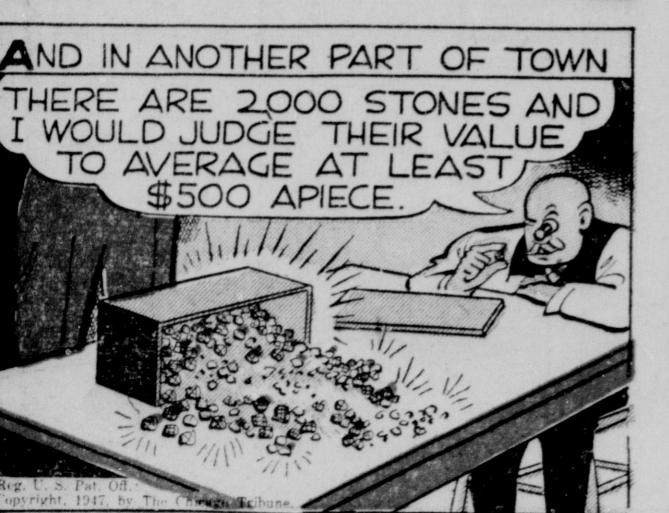
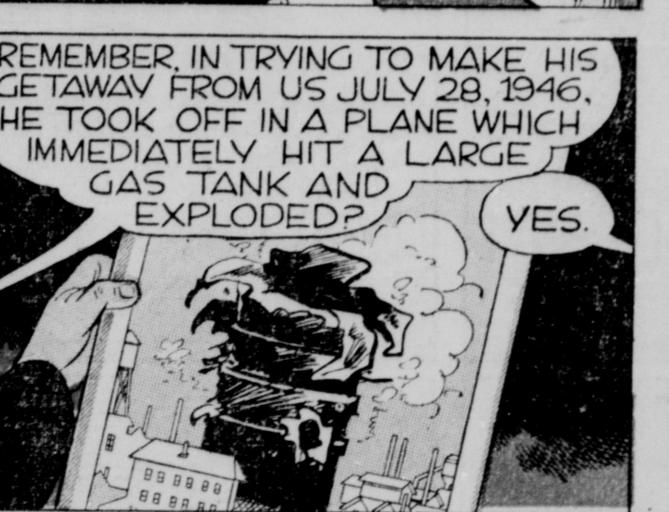
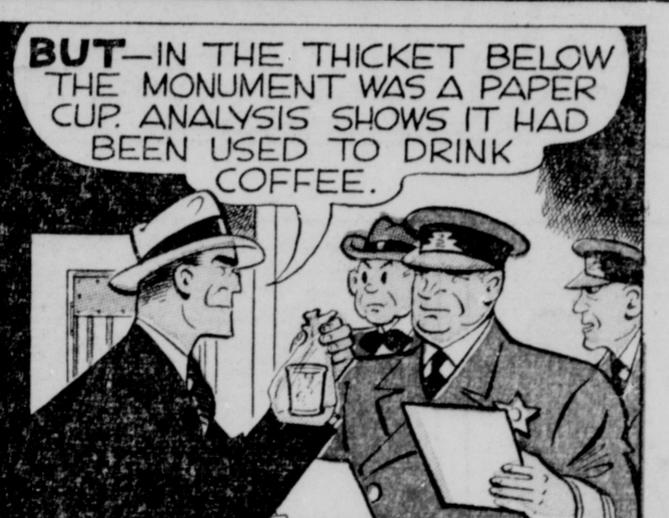
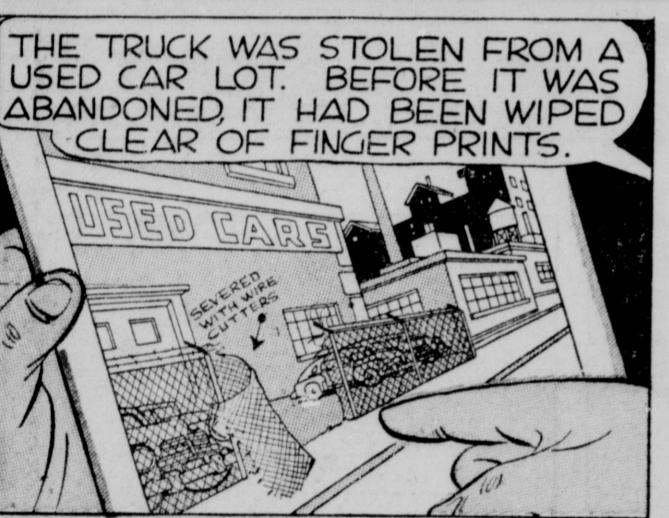
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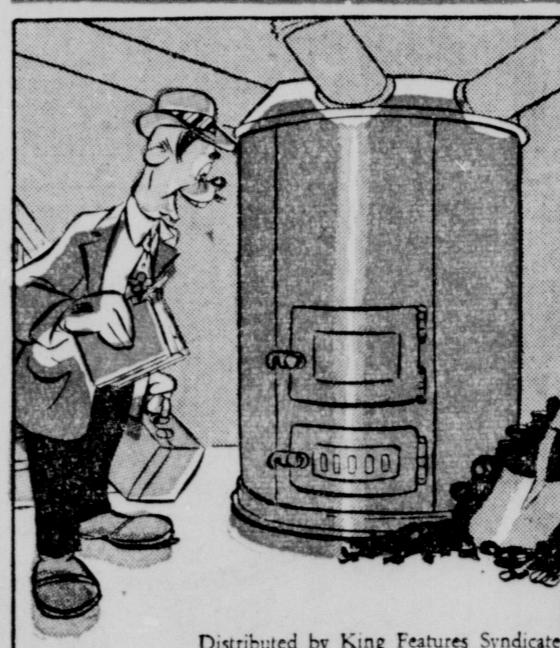
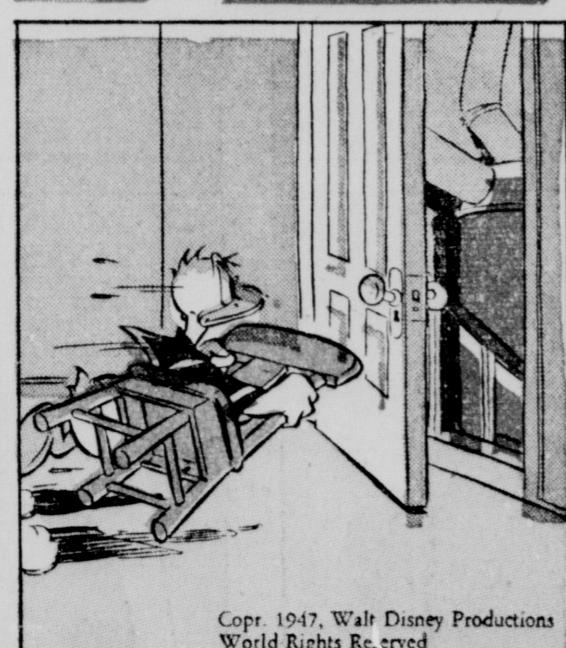
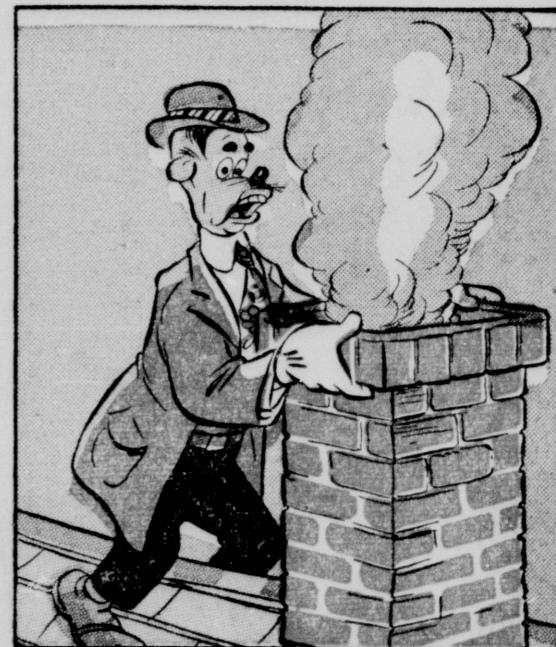
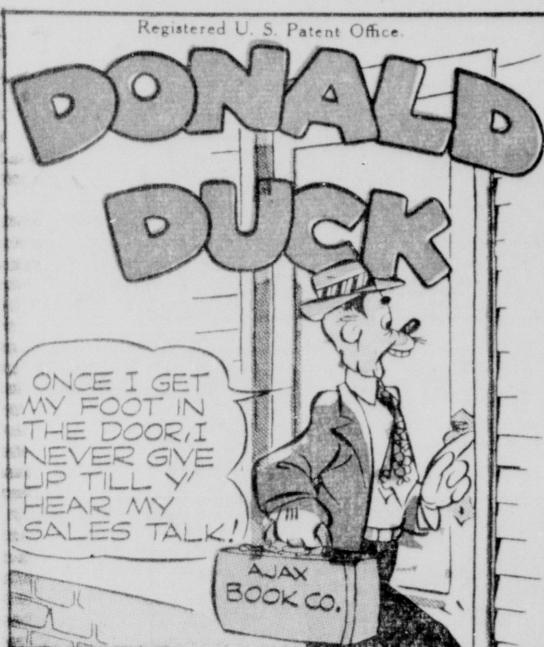
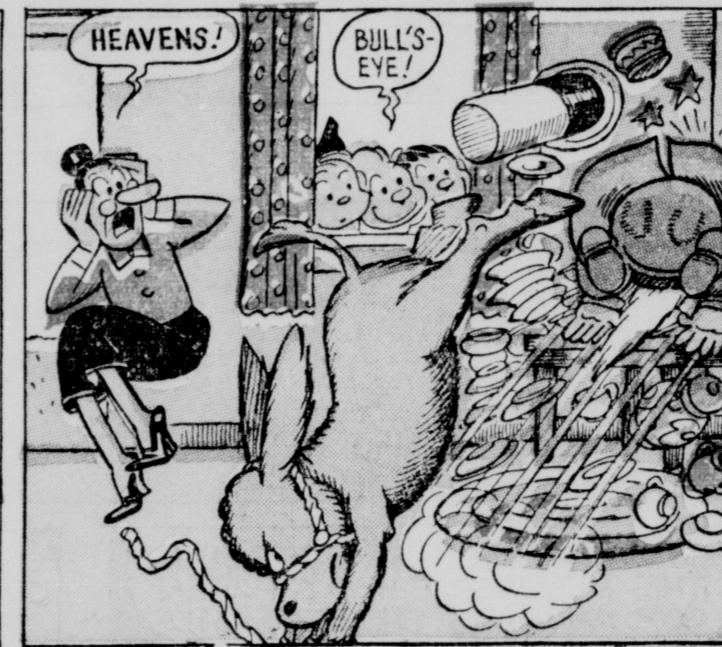
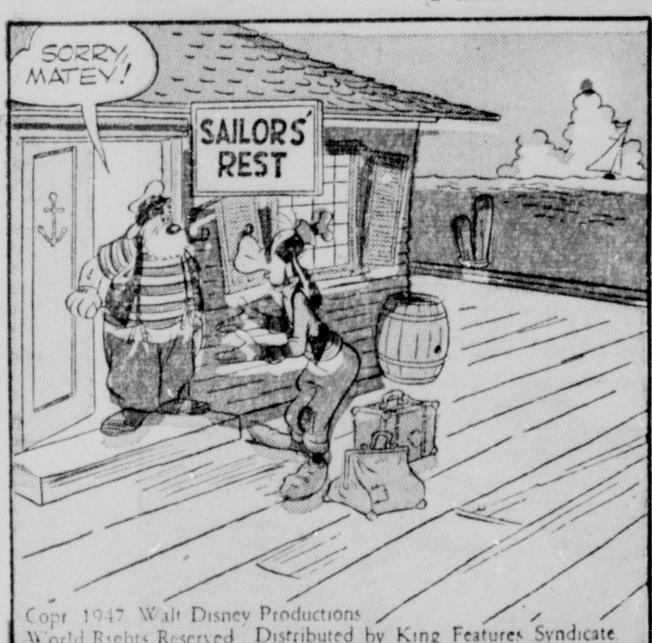
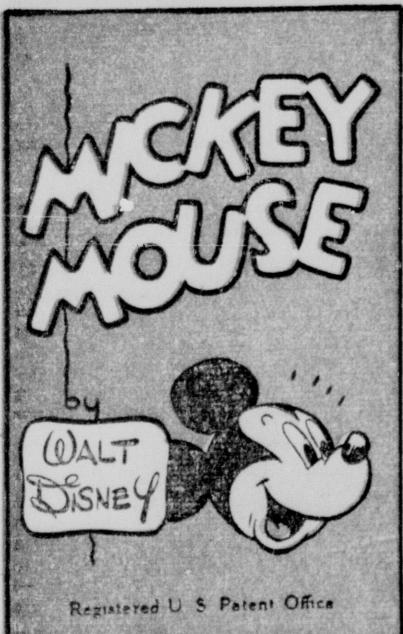
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BRINGING UP FATHER

by GEOMCMANUS

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BY GOLLY--NOW I GOT A RADIO ALL FER MESSELF--I'M GOIN' HOME AN' LISTEN TO THAT FOOTBALL GAME MICKEY MUFFIN'S SON IS PLAYIN' TODAY!!



Right Around HOME

by Dudley Fisher

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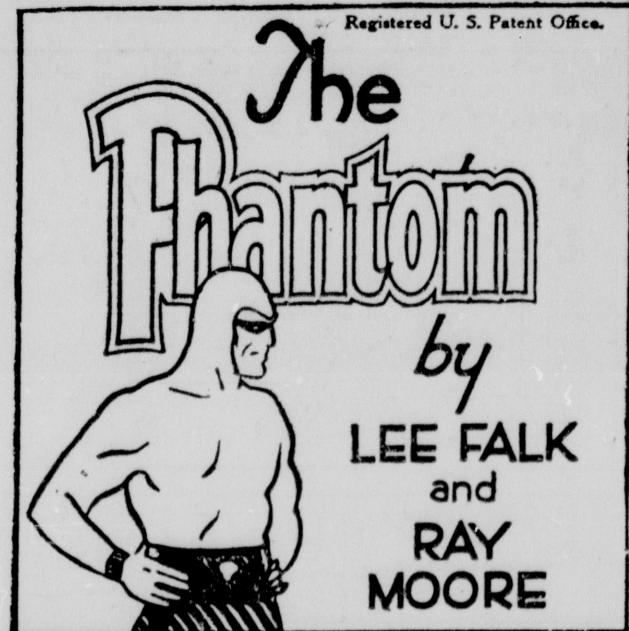
IF YOU CAN TELL PAPA HOW YOU GOT IN THERE, MYRTLE, PERHAPS WE CAN FIGURE OUT SOME WAY TO GET YOU OUT!

I'LL NEVER FORGET THE TIME OUR ELMO STUCK HIS HEAD THROUGH THE STAIR RAIL AND WE HAD TO USE THE BACK STAIRS FOR THREE DAYS BEFORE WE COULD GET A CARPENTER

I PUT A LITTLE GLUE ON THE BRANCH, ALICE! IT'LL KEEP CECIL GROUNDED AT LEAST UNTIL THE NEXT SHOWER!

MYRTLE STICKS HER NECK OUT





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Little Orphan Annie

There's a great day coming... and it can't come any too soon to suit Annie! Any day now will be Annie's day... a day to remember!

"ANNIE, MY DARLING... CAN'T BE WITH YOU AT CHRISTMAS BUT HOPE TO ARRIVE EARLY IN THE NEW YEAR--TILL THEN--DADDY"

IT WAS IN THE POCKET O' TH' BEAUTIFUL RUSSIAN SABLE COAT HE SENT ME-- GEE! HE'S ALIVE, AND HE'LL BE HERE SOON...

AND JUST LOOK AT TH' REAL JEWELS HE SENT, TOO! BUT NOBODY 'ROUND HERE WOULD EVER GUESS THEY'RE REAL, SO THEY'RE AS SAFE AS DIME STORE STUFF...

SEEMED FUNNY HOW "DADDY" COULD KNOW I'M HERE IN SPRINGHILT... AND AUNT PIETY AND UNCLE TIL AREN'T SO VERY PROMINENT... THEN I SAW THAT FACE AT MY WINDOW...

OOPS! THERE HE GOES NOW... HE SURE LOOKS LIKE A KING SIZE SANTA CLAUS! BUT THAT'S MR AM! I'D KNOW HIM ANY PLACE!

THEY USED TO SAY THAT MR. AM HAS LIVED FOREVER AND WILL GO ON LIVIN' FOREVER... MAYBE SO... ONE THING'S CERTAIN... HE SURE GETS AROUND... "SPECIALLY WHEN HE CAN BE HELPFUL..."

"DADDY" KNOWN MR. AM FOR YEARS... LIKE AS NOT MR. AM TIPPED OFF "DADDY" 'BOUT WHERE WE'RE LIVIN' NOW, SANDY...

SAY-A-YAY! MR. AM WAS COMIN' FROM DOWN THIS WAY... NOTHIN' DOWN HERE ANY MORE 'CEPT JOE'S SHACK...

HEY! JOE! WAS THERE SOMEBODY HERE TO SEE YOU JUST NOW? WHAT SORT OF SOMEBODY?

BIG OLD CODGER WITH WHISKERS WAY DOWN TO HERE... SWELL GUY AND SMART AS A WHIP... THEY CALL HIM MR. AM...

OH, YES... MR. AM... HE DROPPED IN FOR A MOMENT...

LEAPIN' LIZARDS! DO YOU KNOW HIM TOO? HOW LONG HAVE YOU KNOWN HIM, JOE?

OH, FOR AGES, ANNIE... YES... FOR AGES...

WOW! IMAGINE THAT! GUESS IT IS A SMALL WORLD, AS SOME SAGE IS FOREVER SAYIN'...

HMM... LITTLE TOO SMALL IN SPOTS FOR NICE, HONEST, FRIENDLY, HARD-WORKIN' FOLKS AND CHARACTERS LIKE JERRY GAWS...

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.
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BUT I'M NOT WORRYIN' ANY MORE... NOT AFTER SEEIN' MR. AM AROUND... AND KNOWIN' THAT MIGHTY SOON "DADDY" WARBUCKS WILL BE BACK! SANDY, TH' NEW YEAR IS GOIN' TO BE O. K.!

ARF!

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YES, MY GOOD PILOT-- I'M GOING TO USE JACK'S PLANE! I'M HAVING TH' ENGINES CHECKED ON MINE! IT'S HIDDEN IN TH' EDGE OF THE FOREST, TOO!

I'LL SOON BE MAKING A LONG OVER-WATER FLIGHT IN MY PLANE TO SELL SECRETS TO CERTAIN FOREIGN POWERS!

JACK, IF YOU'LL TELL ME THE SUPERSONIC SECRETS NOW, YOU'LL BE SPARED THE HORRIBLE SIGHT OF SEEING YOUR GIRL FRIEND SHOVED INTO THE PACIFIC OCEAN!

SMILIN' HA-HA-HA, THE LAUGH'S ON YOU, "HEAD"-- I CAN SEE YOU'RE NOT UP ON YOUR AVIATION!

JACK

--IN THIS PARTICULAR TYPE OF PLANE, TH' DOOR AND WINDOWS CAN NOT BE OPENED IN FLIGHT-- SEE FOR YOURSELF, READ THOSE LIL' SIGNS! HA-HA!

HA-HA-MY EYE!

THE HEAD IS ALWAYS UP ON EVERYTHING! THOSE SIGNS ONLY REFER TO CRUISING SPEED! ALL WE HAVE TO DO IS THROTTLE BACK AND SLOW DOWN TO 100 M.P.H.!

--WE CAN THEN OPEN TH' DOOR, TH'SAME AS ONE WOULD ON ANY SLOW AIRPLANE AND SHOVE YOUR SWEETIE OUT!

BUT AS JACK'S PLANE WAS TAKING OFF, A STRANGE PLANE WAS COMING IN TO LAND AT THE HEADS' PRIVATE LANDING VALLEY!

THAT DEFINITELY ISN'T THE HEAD'S PLANE THAT'S TAKING OFF-- SEE--NC!!!!-- THAT'S THE PLANE THAT SMILIN' JACK WAS USING!

MAYBE SMILIN' JACK HAS ESCAPED-- THIS BEARS INVESTIGATING-- QUICK! UP TH' GEAR AND PULL UP ALONG SIDE!

--SAY, THAT ISN'T SMILIN' JACK AT TH' CONTROLS! ONE OF THOSE BIRDS IN TH' FRONT SEAT LOOKS LIKE TH' HEAD!

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HEY, LOOK AT THE BACK SEAT! THERE'S A GIRL AND A MAN SITTING VERY RIGID!

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FLORIDA FLYING ALLIGATOR MEET,
MELBOURNE, FLA.

--LOOKS LIKE THEY'RE TIED UP! HEY, CAREFUL YOU DON'T GET TOO CLOSE-- YOU ALMOST CLIPPED WINGS!

SAY, THAT LOOKS LIKE SMILIN' JACK IN TH' BACK! IT IS JACK-- SIGNAL THEM TO LAND!

--LOOK AT THEIR ANSWER-- THEY'RE JUST POURING TH' COAL TO IT-- WELL, WE CAN INCREASE OUR MANIFOLD PRESSURE, TOO!

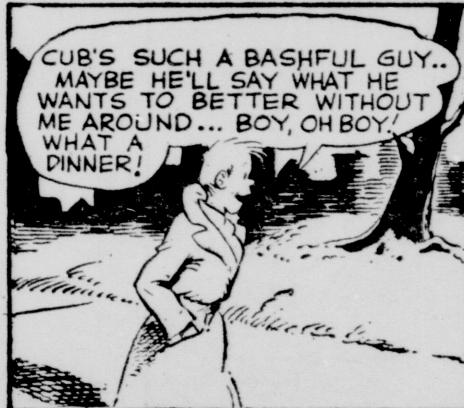
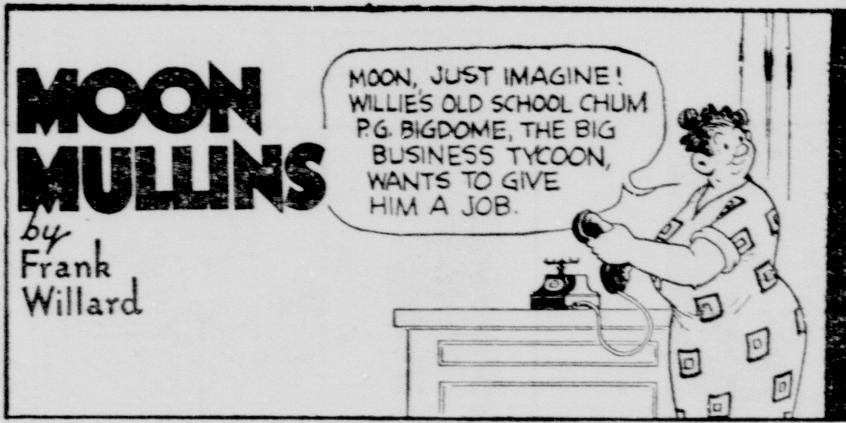
--THERE'S SOMETHIN' SCREWY GOIN' ON THERE-- WE'VE GOT TO BRING THAT PLANE DOWN!

USE YOUR TOMMY GUN!
LOWER TH' PILOTS WEATHER WINDOW AND LET 'EM HAVE IT!

ZACK MOSLEY
12-28 HAPPY NEW YEAR

MOON MULLINS

by
Frank
Willard



JOE PALOOKA

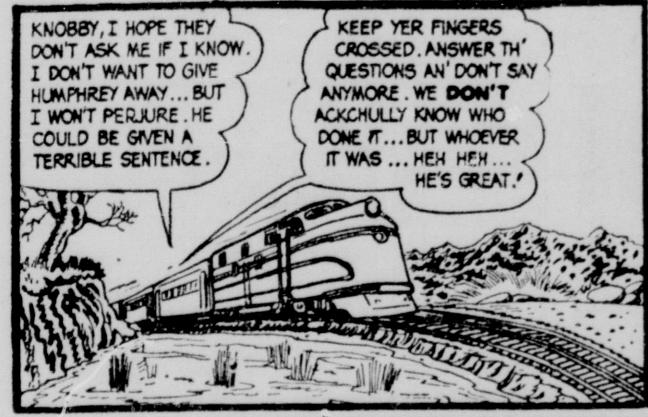
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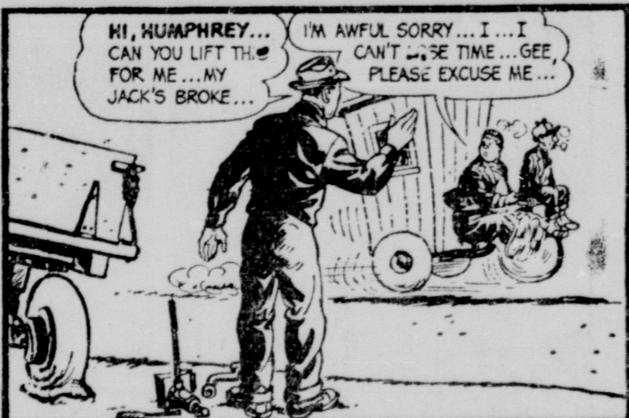
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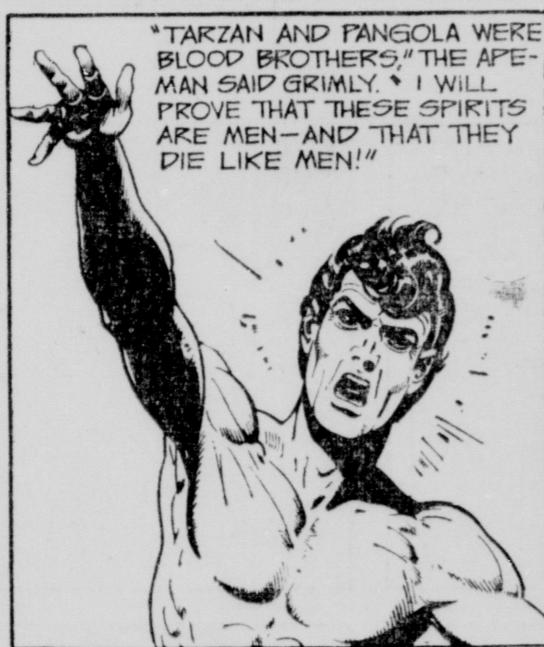
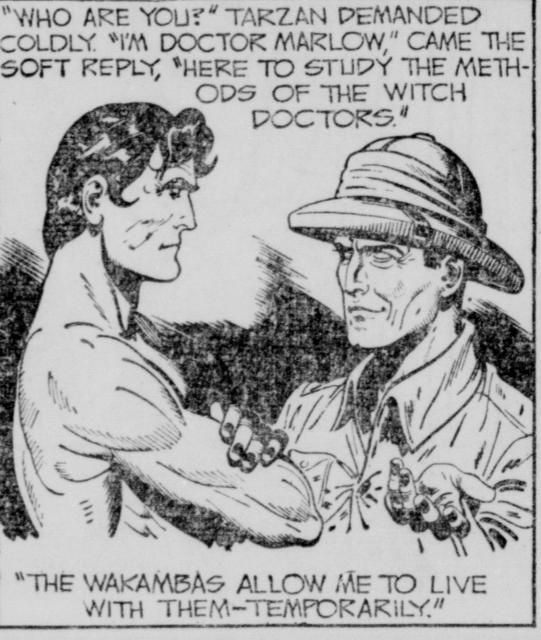


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A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO EVERYBODY.

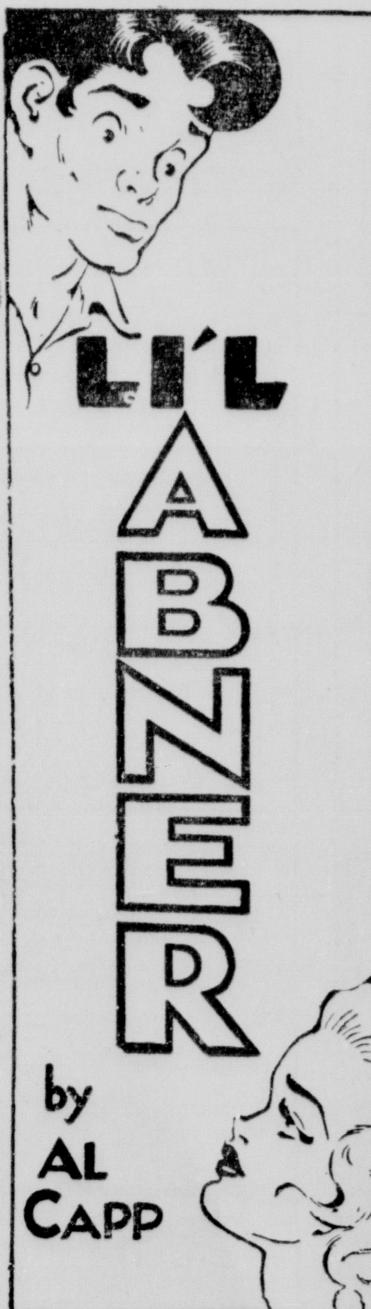
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TO BE CONTINUED...



TARZAN STUDIED THE EVIL-LOOKING SWAMP WITH GRAVE, THOUGHTFUL EYES. "A SWAMP IS ONLY A SWAMP, NKIMA," HE MURMURED. "COME, LET US SEE WHAT LIES BEYOND."

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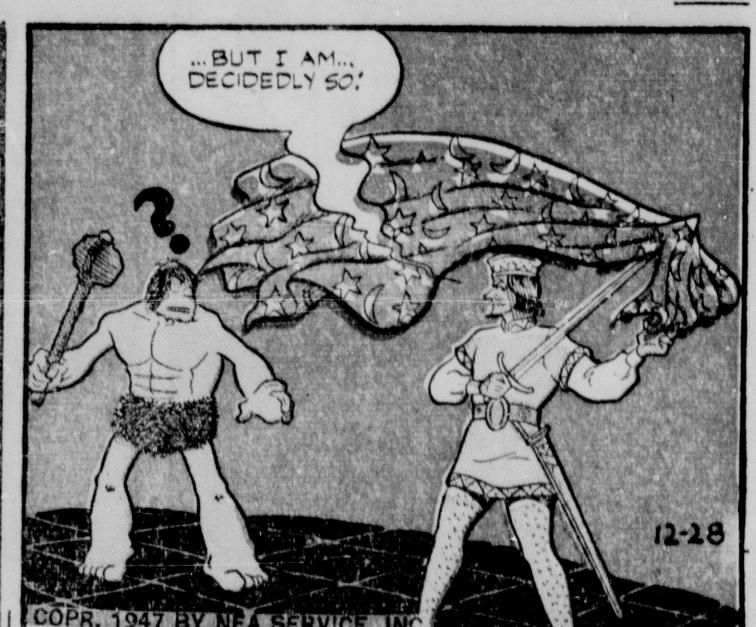
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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



BEFORE WE START, MAY I SUGGEST JUST ONE TOAST TO YOU, MAJOR, AND THE IMMORTAL BARD!



MAJOR HOOPPLE

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1947



JUNGLE JIM

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"DZAM'S HOUSE. YOU, STAY," DZAM OFFERS. JIM SMILES, "THANKS, DZAM. WILL YOU TAKE ME TO THE LAMASERY?"



DZAM EXPLAINS, AT THE ENTRANCE, THAT THE GRAND LAMA HAD SENT FOR JIM. A LAMA SOUNDS A SIGNAL ON THE GONG.

AS THE GRAND LAMA APPEARS, DZAM FALLS PROSTRATE. IN HORROR, HE TRANSLATES THE ANNOUNCEMENT TO JIM: "GRAND LAMA NEVER SENT FOR YOU, FOREIGN DEVIL!"

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THE FANATIC TIBETAN PILGRIMS STONE JIM FROM THE LAMASERY -- AND DZAM HAS TO FLEE FOR HIS LIFE, ALSO.

NEXT WEEK: OUTCAST. 12-28

FLASH GORDON

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THREATENED WITH DISCOVERY, FLASH SETS OFF ATOM-FISSION IN KANG'S UNDERSEA MONGONIUM FACTORY. PANIC EMPTIES THE PLANT, AS MANAGER TECHNO LEAPS FOR THE PROTECTO SPRAY.

DALE SAYS BRAVELY, "FLASH, I'M WILLING TO DIE, IF IT'S THE ONLY WAY TO END KANG'S THREAT TO OUR WHOLE PLANET!"



"NO, DEAR, I'LL NOT SACRIFICE YOU," FLASH MUTTERS, AS HE HELPS TECHNO AIM THE SPRAY OF BLACK LIQUICARBON AT THE CHAIN-REACTING MASS OF MONGONIUM.



"WE'RE WINNING, INSPECTOR! THE CARBO FLUID IS SEPARATING AND SLOWING DOWN GASPS. FLASH SMILES, "YOU'RE A BRAVE, FAST-THINKING MAN, TECHNO!"

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TECHNO ROUNDS UP SOME WORKERS TO MOP UP. THEN HE TURNS SLOWLY: "DIDN'T THE LADY CALL YOU FLASH?"



NEXT WEEK: DANGEROUS ALLY

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